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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1951.

# BUILDING ISMAILIA

Ismailia, Nov. 25.

Wing Commander Barker

was supervising the last stages

The town is now out of

The British Army had vir-

tually controlled the town since

last week-end's street fighting

between British troops and

LORRY AMBUSHED

Five young Egyptians were

in prison tonight on suspicion of

having taken part in an ambush

One of them was wounded

The British Military Authori

Nobody in the truck was

When the fire was returned

Five were seen to enter a

Major Rushday, Chief of Port

Said's Police Special Branch,

was wounded. The Egyptians.

are now in custody.

were released today.

nearby Coast Guard station

Port Said, Nov 25.

bounds to British troops.

Egyptian Police - Reuter.

of a British lorry here.

A terrorist hurled a bomb at an Air Force headquarters building here tonight. It exploded in a doorway, shattering windows and splitting the masonry.

Wing Commander Barker, local British Air Chief, was struck on the foot by a small piece of shrapnel. His escort fired at the terrorist but he escaped on a bicycle.

The Royal Air Fire Office the last British Service families was being close! for the last and their belongings had left. time when the bomb was thrown

Egyptian Police book over full of the An Force evacuation of control of I:mailia tonight after Ismailia

### 'The Woman In Black' Killed

W. tern Korean front

An Allied machine-gunner on a the war front west of Yonchon ities said that the lorry was hist night that and killed the ambushed by about 12 young Egyptians, one of whom was "Woman in Black." , seen to be carrying a Sten guir

She was again leading a and another a revolver savage Chinese attack agains' positions. The wounded woman's body this morning was lying in the snow on a hillside the Egyptians fled. in from of a United Nations position.

Allied infantrymen could not get out to recover, the body because of the heavy artillery barsting nearby

Corporal "Butch" Bourchard of Jonquiere, Queber Canada. down the Communist commander with burst of machine-gun bullets. He saw her plainly out in from: of Chinese troops, exhorting them on.

Bourchard heard the woman shrick in English: "Come on, Hubba hubba" (slang f r hurry

Bourehard then fired the burst with his machine-gun and the woman fell.

The attack took place at the same place where 10 days ago Allied troops saw a woman in black robes brandishing a pistel Zone. She was refused clear- of the 35,000 population have an attack.

At the time she was not and artillery fire.—Reuter,

DEFENCE POST London, Nov. 25.

CHURCHILL MAY

RESIGN HIS

Winston Churchill, 77 next Friday, is resign from his secondary lob as Bri-Defence Minister the next few authoritative months, sources sald tonight.

The sources said that Mr Churchill, who started his second month in office today, might step down from the defence post when he returns from his conferences in January with President Truman and the Canadian Prime Minister. Mr Louis St. Laurent.

The name of Mr Churchill's succossor, if there is to be one at all, is still under speculation.—United

### Flood Damage

### Poses New Problem

Rovigo, Nov. 25. Disrupted sewage systems, weakened buildings and a lack of drinking water posed new threats today in the flooded Po Valley. Health, Army and Police officials opened an intensified campaign to save thousands from spreading disease and building collapses,

More than 160,000 persons have been made homeless by British troops quickly sur- the floods, which started 17 days rounded the station and the ago, and the unofficial death toll Egyptian Police were informed, has climbed past 150. Damage is counted in the hundred, of millions of dollars.

searched the premises and found Floor victims clinging to roofave Egyptians, one of whom tops and staying in the upper stories of flooded houses were however, carried no arms. They being removed by authorities, Typhoid and other diseases

A Royal Navy boarding party were reported spreading from rushed to the 8,189-ton tanker, broken sewage systems in the Po British Commando, in a fast i delta, where the greatest damage motorboat when she reported has resulted from the North that Egyptian police had boarded Italy floods. W. Averell Harriman, US

But the police had left when Director of Mutual Security, the surfors climbed aboard. . . : arrived in Rome today for North Details of this incident, which Atlantic Treaty Organisation occurred on Saturday morning, meetings with word that \$1,000,-000 will be made available at The tanker, belonging to the once to help the Italian govern-British Tanker Company, was ment buy medicines and other carrying aviation fuel for the supplies for flood victims.

Royal Air Force in the Canal At Adria, where some 20,000 ince papers by the local customs been evacuated, sewage backed up and made continued residence After the incident, a constant impossible, Health authorities harmed although she stood in patrol was kept up round her reported, but several, thousand the open under heavy mortar until she sailed in a dawn con-, stubbornly resisted orders to leave.-Associated Press.

# Disarmament Agreement COMPROMISE

### POSSIBILITIES **JEOPARDISED**

Paris, Nov. 25. United Nations delegation leaders spent the Sunday recess trying to dredge some hope of a Russian compromise on Western big three disarmament proposals from Saturday's speech by Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Vyshinsky.

The outlook was gloomy. The UN Assembly's Political Committee prepared to buckle down to many days of debate, trying to evaluate Russian amendments which hauled Soviet plans up to the top of the heap instead of letting them remain; until last

One-fourth of the UN's membership of 60 nations had lined up behind the Western plan in the Political Committee's lagging debate last week.

wanted first to hear what sessions on Monday, to arrange a speakers' list to structions.

Russians

Directing

Gun-Fire

Western Front, Korea,

Allied officers were con-

vinced tonight that Rus-

western front, opening a

"new war" here.

message was overheard.

There is only one more new

BEST EVER SEEN"

Last summer, a flood of dis-

patches from the Korean front

reported the presence of

"Caucasians" in considerable

numbers in Korea. They added

that some of the "Caucasians"

might be Russians and reported

Russian gunners might be in

A British officer of the 28th

the field.

have ever seen."

hour, the officer said.

was ropey (ili-directed)."

ploded .-- United Press.

Nov. 25.

another delegation insure two "full committee Vyshinsky had to say on Satur- delegations had to forward day night, UN Secretariat Vyshinsky's amendment to their officials were finding it difficult capitals for study and new in-India's leaders here and in

New Delhi were watching carefully for any new Russian proposals.

The fact that the Russian amendments were the same n.ixture as before immediate prohibition of atomic weapons, a big five disarmament conference, an immediate one-third cut of all conventional armed forces and weapons-held no promise that any compromise between the two camps could be speeded up. India has ettempted compromises before in the UN and usually takes its time drafting careful proposals

NEGLIGIBLE SUPPORT

Up until now, support for the Russian position has been negligible. There was Vyshinsian artillerymen have taken sky himself, the Czechoslovak over the direction of Com-| woman delegation leader who munist big gun fire on the preceded him, and the Egyptian delegation who went along with the Russian idea that prohibition of atomic bombs ought to They believed that Soviet ex- precede any other disarmament perts began master-minding move.

bombardments about November The Western idea is for an I, just after the armistice talks orderly, stage-by-stage process, reopened at nearby Pan Mun starting with a census of all Jom and the Red pressure existing armaments, including began building up in this sector. ' atomic, and of armed forces: a A Polish-born aide to the disarmament commission to pre-Commander of the British pare for a world disarmament Eighth Hussars recently inter- conference which would decide cepted a message from a Com- on armaments limitations; real munist artilleryman. "Orders inspection and verification of were given in pure Russian," the any arms cuts; and ultimate Pole said. But British officers prohibition of atomic weapons suspected Russian direction of It also calls for an international the artillery fire long before the commission under the Security Council to control atomic energy Colonel Sir Guy Lolher, production for civilian, indus-Commander of the Hussar tank trial purposes.

battalion, said, "A new war be- Vyshinsky's harsh strictures gan about November I. That on the US-British-French arms left some delegates was when they began laying plan down really proper artillery depressed.

There was no change in the US reaction war to be fought here—when initial that they came in with their air- Vyshinsky's answer was a blow to hopes for some agreement. ciliatory appeal had been turned

signs in particular that some the door again.

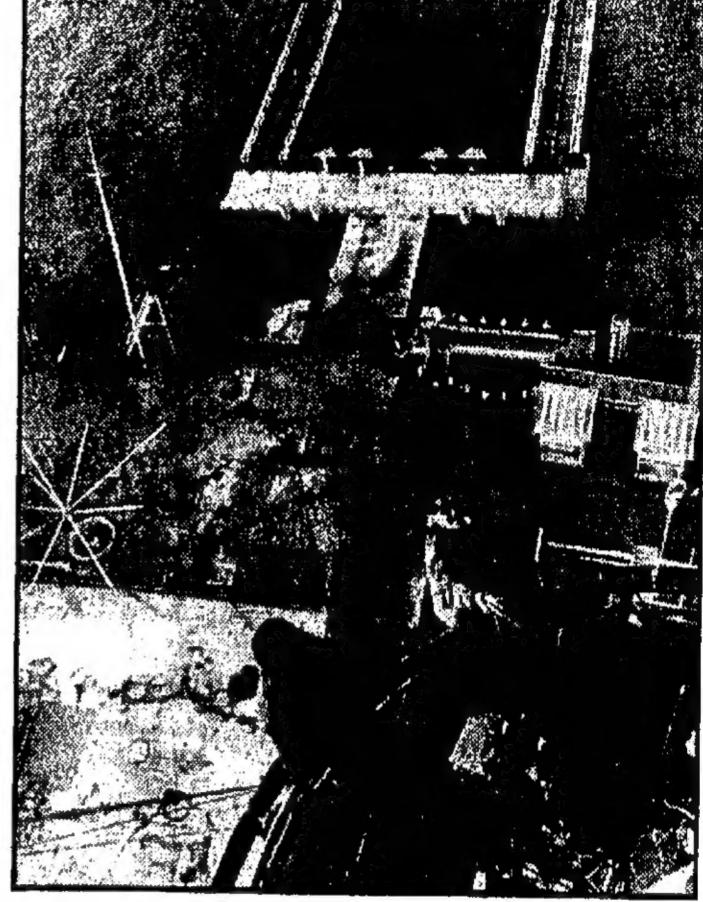
PREPARED TEXT

western front, that the Red The text was obviously straight artillery fire was the "best we from the Kremlin's text-writers. He had delayed his long-Th Reds threw three shells a awaited answer to Mr Acheson second on almost any position throughout the week, giving they chose. They kept it up for the Kremlin time to issue forman hour and then dropped the al notes protesting the US fire down to three shells for Security Act and the Middle every two seconds for another East defence plan, and to ask the UN to debate the US He said, "The Chinese are Security Act as an aggressive

always good with their mortars, move aimed at the Soviet Union. but I doubt the Chinese had His answer, revealing the Havana's main gaol today with time to be trained for such acute Russian fears of the the aid of members of their gang expert gunnery. Before Novem- strength the US has built both armed with tommy guns and ber 1, the Communist artillery militarity and politically grandes. throughout the He said the enemy suddenly given at the moment that a new developed new tactics somehow, aggravation was being revealed police and army officers' getting self-propelled guns up \_\_the US was reporting to the uniforms, arrived outside the to the highest ridgeline and Security Council that Russia priron in ears. poking them over just at last had shot down a US Navy plane night when they were hardest in neutral waters of Vladi-

to see. He said they have vostok. Vyshinsky managed to place guards to get on to the ground, plenty of ammunition and they fire their shells with delayed his amendments so as to insure face down, while the four fuses so the shells bury them- debate on the Russian dis- prisoners climbed down A selves into the earth and blow armament plan at the same knotted rope from the upper up the bunkers when they ex- time on the Western plan window of the prison's hospital. Assuciated Press.

View-From



Only the rim of a platform and a handrail Freighter separate two of London's loftiest citizens from ground level-200ft be-Plane low. The men are completing the job of dismantling the radar equipment on top of the Shot A Bristol aircraft flying here Tower at the South Bank Festival Britain for over 24 hours.

exhibition site.—Reuterphoto.

### TRAINS IN COLLISION

Five Man Killed

Orchard, Idaho, Nov. 25. Two freight trains crashed Cyprus. head-on in the desolate wasteland near here today, ing the morning but storms knocking 43 cars off the acveloped this afternoon. tracks and killing five crew members in the second major wreck within two tomorrow. weeks on the Union Pacific Railway.

Officials of the line said the five men died in a thundering crash which hurled cars from the rails with such force that one carload of cattle were

The crash occurred at about The British felt that their con- 7 a.m. It was Union Pacific's second major accident in less than two weeks. On Novem-Only the French appeared to ber 12, the streamlined City of agree with one appraisal that San Francisco smashed into the "Vyshinsky has closed the door rear of the City of Los Angeles -but not slammed it shut." in a blizzard near Evanston, Their feeling was that some Wyoming. Seventeen persons miracle might make him open were killed and more than 50 injured then.

A spokesman said today's It was one of the rare occa- crash occurred near the station Brigade said on November 4, sions that Vyshinsky spoke from at Orchard, 20 miles east of when the King's Own Scottish and followed closely a prepared Boise, on the main line between Borderers were under fire on the text in a UN committee debate. Portland, Oregon, and Pocatello, Idaho.-United Press.

### Prison Escape Gangsters

Hayana, Nov. 25. Four gangaters escaped from

The gangsters' friends, clad in

grenades they forced priton -Reuter.

Britain's Economic Problems

SWEDISH MADE

RECORD SYSTEMS

AT REASONABLE

# Talks Snyder

Rome, Nov. 25. Britain's Treasury chief, Mr R. A. Butler, arranged today to see Mr John W. Snyder, his American opposite number, with the idea of seeking US help for the wobbly British economy,

Official sources refused to detail precisely what Mr Butler intends to discuss with Mr Snyder.

They expressed the view, however, that one question sure to be touched on is whether Britain intends meeting, or waiving, an interest payment of \$75,000,000 due December 31 on the 1946 American loan.

A British government decision on the question may well hinge on the outcome of the Butler-Snyder talk, the informants said. Right now, they added, all the signs point to the British exercising their waiver right because they claim they cannot afford to do otherwise.

Mr Butler is seeing Mr Snyder at the American Embassy on Monday. Both are here for North Atlantic Treaty Organisation sessions.

OTHER QUESTIONS

Nicosia, Nov. 25.

The air freighter was on

A search over a wide area of

all day yielded no result, the

The search planes ranged to

west as far as Rhodes, as well

Visibility was excellent dur-

The search stopped at dusk.

said that it would be resumed

as south and south-east of

spokesman said.

Other questions likely to come up:

1. Britain's bid to get a from Athens was been missing share of an estimated \$1,500,000,-000 worth of economic help which W. Averell Harriman, a US mutual security agency normal flight to Karachi and head, has the power to diswas to have stopped here over- tribute to American allies in right, an Air Force spokesman Europe.

2. Britain's claim of a big chunk of the United States' nearly \$9,000,000,000 military the East Mediterranean by all aid programme for the current types of Royal Air Force planes fiscal year.

Mr Winston Churchill's government already has served notice on the US that the three-\$13,160,000,000 British the south Turkish coast and year

arms programme cannot be fulfilled without American help. The British hope to get much of their economic and military help in the form of scarce raw materials needed urgently for the arms programme. Steel,

gasoline, possibly coal are An Air Force spokesman among these materials. Other supplies needed include machine tools, industrial components, military equipment of He could give no details of various kinds and light and zircraft. - Associated the number of people abourd. heavy

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### COMMENT OF THE DAY

### Mr Churchill's Opportunity

authorities.

, voy .- Reuter.

THE projected visit of Mr Winston L Churchill to Washington has a special significance viewed against the background of the existing tense international situation, and his talks with President Truman may have a momentous effect on world peace. There is little doubt that Mr Churchill will raise the subject of trying to arrange a meeting between himself, Mr Truman and President Stalin for what may be the last endeavour to compose East and West differences on the highest possible level. Britain's Prime Minister will probably have a hard task convincing Mr Truman that any such meeting would achieve desired results. It would be wrong to infer that the President will be just plain stubborn next January when Mr Churchill introduces this subject, but, in American parlance, he will have to be "shown." At present the signs are Mr Truman is opposed to the idea, and he is similarly mistrustful of a lone mission to Moscow by Mr Churchill. Nor is this merely the personal opinion of the President; it also reflects the considered views of top American policy-makers. The essential fact is that the American Government is frightened of what a Churchill-Stalin meeting might produce. They have expressed .! the fear that if it resulted in apparent Russian concessions, it would bring about a dangerous let-down in the Western rearmament drive before Russia's sincerity had been fully established. Moreover, they believe that if Mr Churchill drew a blank in Moscow, it would militate against a more gradual settlement of East-West differences and would strengthen the hand of the "preventive war" advocates

in the United States. This attitude suggests that Mr Truman will be ready with a friendly "Show Me" when Mr Churchill starts talking about negotiaand about the Prime Minister's plans for turning profitless propaganda sniping into a serious and hopeful effort to arrange a settlement with the East. Another influencing factor is that the Churchill-Truman talks will take place during the opening of Congress and at the start of an election year. American Government policy is always limited by the wishes of Congress and in an election year the American Congress is a wayward thing. This must, to some extent, affect plans to aid Britain in her economic crisis, although it can be assumed that detailed discussions on this matter will be left to Anglo-American negotiators at low level. But the importance of Congress should not be exaggerated. The effective meeting of two minds can be equally vital to the fortunes of Britain and the United States. Mr Truman has made no secret of the fact that his main ambition is to bring true peace to the world during his Presidency. Thus, in the phrase coined by Mr Churchill during his election campaign, both men have their eyes on the same "last prize." Furthermore, there is evidence that six years' experience in world affairs has taught Mr Truman the importance of Britain to America and the importance of Anglo-American amity to the world. There is a saying about the men from President Truman's home State. It is: "Once you show a Missourian, he stays shown." In it lies Mr Churchill's opportunity and the world's hope.

tions with Russia at the highest level,

# BRITISH TANKER Bitter Criticism Is Sweeping Japan Over



The 28,000-ton British Adventure, largest of the British Tanker Company's oil tanker fleet, seen on arrival at Mina el Ahmadi, on the Persian Gulf, to load 7,500,000 gallons of crude oil on completing her maiden voyage from England .-London Express.

\$275,000,000,000.

to raise the debt ceiling.

84,000,000,000 since April and

The size of the National

Debt affects everybody. New

! Government borrowing tends to

fun inflation; it can be a major

Interest payments on loans

will take about 10 cents out of

WARTIME LIMIT

the nation. At \$275,000,000,000.

ing days of World War II.

took in \$3,510,000,000 more than

it spent to ring up the second

biggest surplus in history.

the post-war period, during 000

each man, woman and child in economy.

an increase in the legal limit. World War I.

last June 30, the Government set .- Associated Press.

year—almost \$6,000,000,000

the impetus of defence spending, penses.

To Record High

\$259 000,000,000, an increase of five months since June, the

ing and tax receipts are about closer. Next year's deficit

Washington, Nov. 25.

000,000 deficit by next June.

RECORD DEFICIT

000,000,000 compared

\$44,633,000,000 last year.

mercase next year.

**STRASBOURG** 

Europe in Strasbourg.

Sir David Maxwell-Fyfe, tho

Sir David Maxwell-Fyle is

SYRIAN CRISIS

The Syrian President today

Damascus, Nov. 25.

London, Nov. 25.

### Politics Barred US Debt Soaring From Election

Madrid, Nov. 25. Spanish heads of families elected new City Councilmen today after one of the politest campaigns on

record. Pulities were strictly barred, speeches were for bidden and candidates represented no parties. Each candidate was limited to a short notice in the newspapers and a brief radio broadcast to make his

promises. Some 6,500,000 were eligible to vote for four of the 12 Councilmen in each of more than 9,000 municipalities. — Associated Press.

### PRICE OF PROTECTION factor in inflation, big Government sponding blds un prices GOING UP

Protection for scennty in right, the debt should climb estimated at roughly \$15,000,-Singapore will cost more from close to \$262,500,000,000 by nex' 000,000.

officers, inspectors, deficits which could push a little over \$3,000,000,000. ment cays.

nen-commissioned office, of the record peak of \$279,200,000,000 but many Congressional leaders then I doubt whether the Ameriwill be reached in February, 1946 S\$258 and that of a constable shortly after World War II

An N C O or constable of Constabulary will and S\$168, respec-

tively, a month. Hourly rates are insperior of regular police \$5; inspector of the Special Constabulary \$3; N.C.O. regular police \$1.50; N.C.O. Special Constabulary \$1.50; police constable \$1.15;

special constable \$1.00. Nearly all rubber warehouse: and newspaper offices hire police personnel on the monthly basis, while wealthy citizens. also seek police protection for big festive occasions.—United

Piess.

### Quake In Italy

There have been 76 surplus An earthquake shook the years and 85 deficit years in the Adriatic coast near here today nation's history. The last fiscal at 4.25 a.m. local time, an- year was a happy period for nouncing itself with the usual the Treasury, which reduced: rumbling noise but doing no the National Debt by \$2,135, 000,000 during the year, keeping

still to go, proceeds from dia-

mond trading throughout the

world show that traders are

only about £1.000,000 below

the record total of almost 261,-

Industrial diamond sales have

the beginning of the rearma-

ment drive, the return to power

of the Churchill administration.

and the commencement of

000,000 achieved last year.

American stockplims.

RECORD IN DIAMONDS world traine in diamonds is crease in sales, the Association's Assembly and assuring them of expected to beat all records report said, "gems are still well assuring them of the Americans to the shead of industrials." This our intention to support the appealed to the Americans to that his banishment be recon- of Berlin. this year.

The National Jewellers Asso- proved diamonds are still re
Council of Farance of Japanese cubical tribal dispute over his people.

On perm.

The West Berlin police The Scintillation Counter take these disabilities into expense of Japanese cubical tribal dispute over his people.

pected all records to be broken. Industry The report said sales during the North Atlantic Treaty Or- objections to Russian occupa- Reuter. With a whole quartor of 1951 the first three quarters of the genishtion." year were boosted by the finding of several large diamonds, expected to ceturn to London It cited as an example one next Wednesday.—Router. found at the mouth of the Orange River-a perfect bluewhite stone which was sold to especially during the second a Bolgian diamond cutter for

and third quarters, following £80,000. diamond. Another 2831/2 carots, was found near Pretoria this nuturing paked Abdul Baki Nizamiddin, Johannesburg diamond experts leader of the Parliamentary Repaked Abdul Baki Nizamiddin. have estimated its eventual publican group, to form a new The return of the Conserva- value as between £ 100,000 Cabinet, in a fourth attempt to

colve Byria's 17-day old Ministives to power in Britain is ex- and £150,000. Sales of diemonds have also terial crisis. the country's been stepped up by the disarms production with a correst covery that certain diamonds leaders, Eakl Khailb, and Mar-ponding increase in industrial are highly sensitive to Camina ruf Dawalibi, both of the Feeneeds. This is probably a don- rays. They can, therefore, he pie's Party, and Baid Haydar, tributory factor to the increase used no detectors of recto independent, have elegated in sales of industrial diamonds. | activity withiled Press.

# Peace Treaty

Tokyo, Nov. 25.

REPARATIONS

But a typical argument

claiming that "severe repara-

afterwards in confiscations,

should be sufficient atonemen

Japan has already opened

negotiations with the Philippines

and Indonesia, the two main

The treaty allows essentially

for reparations in the form of

manpower—the manufacture of

claimants for reparations.

this nature to fizzle out.

SENTIMENT ROUSED

Japan from United Nations

trusteeship, the Japanese are

professing great anxiety for the

welfare of their "loyal Ryuk-

Visiting

But foreigners say that as long

yuan brothers."

for her crimes.

On reparations, few Japanese

Widespread, bitter criticism has swept Japanese business, political and labour spheres at the terms of the Japanese peace treaty, which was approved for ratification in the Japanese Diet on October 26 against vociferous opposition comments.

The new vocal critics admit that they withheld early action because Japan's overriding aim was to get some form of national sovereignty first.

Most observers here believe that official criticism will remain soft-pedalled until the Japanese peace treaty actually comes into effect, which is expected by most Japanese in mid-1952 at the latest.

Then, the new Japan, from | tion of the Kuriles in his speech | her powerful position in world at San Francisco before he trading, can be expected to do signed away all whatever possible to make up rights to the islands. A few days after his return, he

losses or inconveniences. Apparent Japanese content- calmly ignored foreign bement with the terms of the wilderment at a demand for treaty might well be explained return of the Kuriles published by remarks made by the in- by his own Liberal supporters fluential Liberal Party member. in a widely circulated party Mr Niro Hoshijima, chief assis- | manifesto. tant to the Prime Minister, M:

Shigeru Yoshida. At San Francisco, Mr Hoshl- would disagree that such counjima told Japanese reporters tries as the Philippines and who cabled his remarks to the Indonesia suffered great big daily newspapers in Japan economic loss as a result of "Since we were defeated and Japanese occupation. surrendered unconditionally, our job in San Francisco is only to that of an influential leader sign whatever papers they pre- writer. Kenichi Albe, who, The National Debt next year is expected to

Even before he left Japan, he tions can only close the doors push—if not pass—the present legal limit of was quoted by the newspapers to peace", suggests that Japan's as describing the treaty-signing own losses during the war and party as "the delegation of Barring changes in the picture, Secretary of silence."

the Treasury John W. Snyder will ask Congress The bulk of criticism, ranging from scholarly, legal reasons why Japan was unfairly treated Federal indebtedness is just the rest of the surplus in cash to bitter anti-American denunbeginning to rise rapidly under to meet booming defence ex- ciations of the whole treaty. have appeared in many of By the end of November the The picture has changed ab- Japan's vigorous post - war debt is expected to be over ruptly and completely. In the magazines and reviews.

TERRITORIAL LOSS

Government plunged \$6.345,000,-The most general complaint the highest in four and a half 900 in the Red. The official Adwhere bankers, traders, poliministration forecast is a \$7,500,ticians and labour are on a common front, is the s ripping away Spending this fiscal year is of Japanese territories, reducing the former empire to half its tually cause reparations of time had come to oust expected to reach about \$70 .-

Claiming that the new Japan could support only 30,000,000 of American aid and likely to be shape. The unofficial word is that every tax dollar put up this spending may total \$90,000,000,independence-84,000,000 lieve that the Americans would on the black list. 000 next year, although some If official forecasts on spend- say \$85,000,000,000 would be

with life sentences." Then will follow six The highest previous deficit, before the war frequently to another country. Rates for hire of non-com- months of expected peak except in all-out war years, was bought half-page newspaper advertisements to spread his opincombibles or personnel of the indebtedness to the \$275,000.- All the estimates, of course, jons, declared in a magazine are based on a belief that Con- article: "If American wisdom is be a percent, a police state. As for 1953, when defence gress will not vaise taxes to limited to crowding us into such match spending. The Adminis-Inarrow confines, expecting birth Monthly rate for hire of ' the debt may well pass the tration will ask for more taxes control to answer our problems,

o not expect another tax cans are intelligent enough to stop a third World War. The picture also could be Labour unions and, the Sohanged by other things-all-out, clalist Party have opposed the That increase of \$4,000,000,- yar, a slackening in the defence idea of a treaty not including 000 in the past seven months programme, and basic changes in Communist China, which is amounted to a boost of \$21 for the state of the national considered a commercial ally essential for Japan's mercantile

The public debt limit is set recovery. So strong did the leftwing the debt would be \$1,773 for by law passed by Congress and signed by the President. It Socielist opposition become that If Secretary Snyder asks for first came into being during, a few days before the Lower House of the Diet voted in may suggest a figure of Since then it has varied ac- favour of approving ratification ! \$300,000,000,000, the limit dur- cording to the Government's of the peace treaty, the party

ing the unprecedented borrow-financial circumstances and split asunder. was last changed in 1946 when The leftwing members walked The ceiling was lowered for it was reduced to \$275,000,000,- out on the rightwing because they propoled a compromise which the debt dipped as low The law says that no Govern- with the embarrassed Prime During the fiscal year ending standing beyond the amount

THREAT SEEN members and a handful of ship.—Reuter. others, provided the small cpposition-47 again t 307.

The most strongly felt territorial loss is the Kurile Islands, a bleak, warren northern chain of rocky fishing bases Apart from their immense Home Secretary, left London pre-war value as bases for Airport today for Paris on his Japan's most lucrative fishing former Regent of the Bamang-

way to attend the Consultative ground, the islands' occupation wato tribe of Bechuanaland, Assembly of the Council of now by the Russians is regard- will arrive here from Africa ed by Japanese as a real threat this week for talks with the ter, Lord Ismay. shall be conveying the views land.

"It has a great contribution who were on the islands when Seretse Khama's, marriage laid a wreath at the foot of the common crystals which omit trading over the first three and ornaments to beauty, recited to make to the integration of the Russians unexpectedly to a white girl. Seretse was city's airlift memorial, honouring visible light when exposed to quarters of the year, said it ex- than as cogs in the wheels of process than a cogs in the whole cogs in the whole cogs in the whole cogs in the whole cogs in the cogs in

### Cairo Angling For Help' From 'Friendly Nations'

Cairo, Nov. 25.

Troops Disembarking

The Minister of Supply, Ahmad Hamza Pasha, said today that Egypt hoped "certain friendly nations" would supply tankers to ship oil from the refineries of Iran to Egypt.

The statement followed earlier reports that Egypt and Iran had reached agreement in principle for supplying Egypt with oil from the nationalised Iranian refineries at Abadan.

The difficulty arese in getling the oil to Egypt. Hamza Pasha refused to identify the nations for whose help he hoped. Russia and other Eastern bloc countries had expressed their readiness to supply Egypt with all her cereal requirements, he said.

goods in Japan from raw materials owned by claimant The influential newspaper Al Many Japanese privately ex- | Ahram said a group of native press the view, however, that officers in the Sudan Defence long delays might well even Force had decided that British there and an armed dispensable to Israel's economy. Already big beneficiaries of mutiny was beginning to take

tator, Tetsuma Hashimoto, who underwrite Japanese reparations dence permits to any British in Israel, Mr Mordecai Namir. applicants and urged officers in other parts of the country to do

Already shipowners have the same. ACTION DISAPPROVED formed an organisation to seek The Interior Minister, Fund ways of regaining some of the 320 ships seized by the Allies Sirag el Din Pasha, said, how-

during and after World War II. ever, that he disapproved of "The Interior Ministry has roused at American silence on out their duties in accordance dispensable." Guaranteed "residual sovewith the instructions they have,"

reignty," eventual return to he said. the Government had reached a to raise a minimum of \$2,000,000 decision on the control of toward the Histradrut goal. The

as America needs military bases in the North Pacific—the Ryukyu to donate £8,000 to families of leader of the Co-operative Island of Okinawa is her bigis little chance of Japan having members of the reserve police Commonwealth Federation Party a voice in the affairs of the is- force who died in shooting in the Canadian House of Comincidents at Ismailia in the mons.-United Press.

Already the Japanese Govern- | Canal Zone last week-end. ment has plans to send a "good- The Egyptian reserve police as \$251,246,000,000 in June, 1949, ment securities may be out. Minister by voting for the treaty. will" mission, headed by the force of some 700 men, which Prime Minister's close adviser, had engaged in gun battles with In the voting, the leftwing Mr Niro Hoshijima, to "cement" | British troops in Ismailia, Socialists, with 22 Communist Japan-Ryukyu post-war friend- arrived in Cairo today. They received a warm welcome from thousands of spectators lining the route between the railway Tshekedi Khama

### station and the Abdin Royal Palace.—United Press. Berlin Honours London, Nov. 25. Tshekedi Khama, exiled

Heroes Airlift Berlin, Nov. 25. Before leaving he said: "I to the security of their home- Commonwealth Relations Minis- 39 British airmen, 31 Americans and five Germans who lost their Ever since the Allied Occupa- He is coming at his own re- lives in the Western Allied air- greatly the use of these valu-

also exiled and is in London the men who were killed the radiations of radio-active was wrong," said Lord Justice the British Commonwealth and The Prime Minister hinted at with his wife and daughter.— between June, 1948, and Sep- substances, the University said. Birkett. Mr Justice Roxburgh

### Israel's Need For US Aid

New York, Nov. 25. Thousands of delegates attending the Histradrut twin rallies here last night were told the that American dollars are in-

Special messages urging supits increasing population, one partners in a new financial. It said the Sudanese administ port of the Histiradrut campaign magazine commented: "We got agreement, many Japanese be- tration had placed the officers were received from President Chaim Weizmann, the Speaker people crowded into a prison make it clear to clamant coun- Passport officials at Alexan- of the Israeli Knesset (parliatries that American dollars dria announced that they would ment), Joseph Sprinzak, and The flery rightwing commen- cannot in any way be used to refuse to grant or extend resi- Secretary-General of Histradrut

Mr Joseph Schlossberg, general chairman of the National Committee for Labour in Israel, told the gatherings that Israel still holds to the "high moral objective" of admitting all Jews including the sick and aged. But, Japanese sentiment has been the action taken at Alexandria, he said, the strain upon its material resources cannot be the fate of the Ryukyu Islands | not issued any such instructions relieved by "moral principles, group between Japan and For- and officials are bound to carry and American dollars are in-

At a noon luncheon earlier After a four-hour Cabinet the American Trade Union meeting, Sirag el Din Pasha said Council for Histradrut pledged "liberation" battalions, but it speakers were Mr James Carey, would not be announced until secretary-treasurer of the Congress of Industrial Organisa-The Cabinet also had decided tions, and Mr M. P. Coldwell,

### Better Than The Geiger

Philadelphia, Nov. 25. tefer and nearly 20 fimes more Goddard was not enough. sensitive than the present Geiger counter.

The new instrument, called "Scintillation would permit doctors to use West Berlin today honoured smaller amounts of dangerous material in radio-activity diagnostic tests, and increase

pulls away from the troopship Empire Medway with reinforcements of troops and airmen for the Canal Zone.-London Express.

### Tackling A Chronic Problem

Brussels, Nov. 25. The United States will the first international effort to solve continental Europe's chronic over-population problem during a 30-nation conference opening here on Monday.

During the 13-day conference, government delegates also will tackle the problem of resettling an estimated 100,000 refugees remaining after the International Refugee Organisation disbands next month.

Mr George Warren, United States delegate to the IRO, will propose a one-year trial of the American plan which, if successful, could be extended to aid an estimated 5,000,000 surplus Europeans to emigrate to less densely-populated areas of the

This pilot plan calls for the setting up of an international committee to assist the emigration in 1952 of 117,000 Europeans from Germany, Holland, Italy. Austria and Greece to countries such as Australia, Canada, the United States and New Zealand. The United States Government already has carmarked ton million of the \$34,000,000 needed for the one-year trial.

The other nations will be asked to contribute proportionately.—United Press.

# Overruled

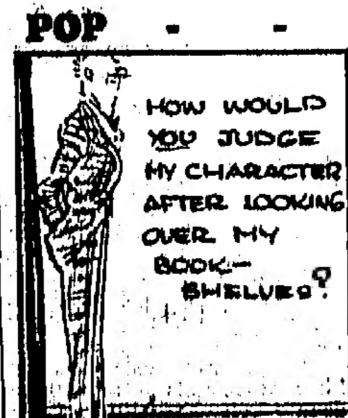
London, Nov. 25. The Lord Chief Justice, when he valued a man's left thumb. lost at work, at £300, was wrong said Lord Justice Birkett in the Court of Appeal.

He doubled the award of damages to 58-year-old Mr Albert Frank Fowler, who lives at Brockwerth, Gloucestershire, Mr Fowler sued his employers. Pennsylvania University today alleging breach of statutory announced the development of duty. He appealed on the a new radio-activity detector, grounds that the award by Lord

Lord Justice Birkett, in judgment, said that Mr Fowler had Counter," only one eye he lost the other in a childhood accident. The forefinger of his left hand was deformed, and it was contended that this made the loss of the thumb more serious.

> The Lord Chief Justice had apparently said he would not

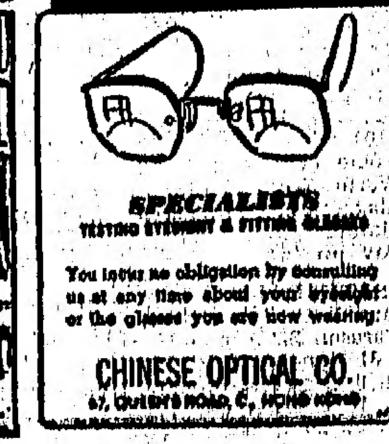












### Smoked Out

Harrlymith, Nov. 25. Hunted by the police, an African plugged his nose and cars with clay, hid under the surface of a pool of water and breathed

through a straw. But the police set fire to dry grass and the reeds surrounding the pool and the choking smoke drove him to the surface.-Rep-

### TERROR WITH LIVE MINE

London, Nov. 25 Naval men raced from Ply mouth to Newlyn, Cornwall, of the French trawier Notre Dame de Fatima, of E'el

The trawler had picked up a peace treaty. China and Washington and others in the the mine in her nets on Thurs- depen have not day and for 36 hours the crew had worked and slept with the

During that time the televice of the vessel threatened to taing the horns of the mine into a b tret with some part of the

disentangling it from the net, even my sway Japan's favour but roped it tightly to the deck to the Communists. The ques- Nations in the Korean war When they first teacher Newlyn the harrooutmin by Captain R. Harvey, ordered them. out of port because of the larger to other ships.

While he sent for a mine dis posal squad from Plymouth 50 mph. gale blew up, and the problem had Nationalists over trawler had to fight it out with the Communists because the the mine still on deck

miles and stayed there all of China. night," he said "Waves broke" over the ship and washed across the deck. All night longwe kept watch-about to see that | Communist China They say the mine did not work loose: The mine disposal squad which had to fight its way in a pilot boat through heavy sens recognition of Communist China to reach the trawler, took two hours to dismantle the mine

### Warning By Dr. Garbett

Melbourne, Nov. 25 Dr Cvril Garbett, Archbishop of York, said here today that we must be ready to detend our heritage and save the worldfrom "cruel despotem and ptheism."

Persistent and inighty forces were endancering our way of life Communism knew where it stond in I what it wanted. We too hould know firmly where we stoud, he heclared,

The Aichbishop, now on a tour of Australia and New Zealand, was preaching at St Paul's Cathedral here. The congregation included

the Governor of the State of Herring, and political notabili- economy, important as it is, has ties.-Reuter.

### RECOGNITION OF PEKING OR FORMOSA? POSER FOR TOKYO

Tokyo, Nov. 25.

WITH THE WEST

Mr Yoshida did not pull his

Of course, at must be noted,

not ail members of the Western

on the question of which

Currently, Japan is more or

less siding with the United

where so-called Chinese Com-

munist volunteer forces are op-

posing the United Nations army

Some observers believe this

dims Red China's immediate

The close (clationship be-

Window

despised "a show of affection"

SHE CALMED HIM

such drastic steps," he said.

relationship."

go horse-riding.

why they shouldn't,"

two-thirds of the costs.

"They had had a hard day,

and she had been up the

previous night with a sick child.

HE DID CHORES

Judge Carey Evans said that

plain of. He did the domestic chores twice a week so that him wife could take P.T. classes and

He added: "It has been said

by counsel that this marriage has irretrievably broken down.

I have no right to advise them to try again, but I do not see

Mrs Harston was awarded

DON'T

WASTE

"These young people were rather foolish about the marital

director.

was dismissed too.

suspicion United Press

government is the legal govern-

ment of China

Government out on a limb. The

The Japanese Government is trying to ride the fence and postpone as long as possible the difficult job of deciding to recognise Communist or

Many top Japanese hope that events of the future will decide this delicate question for them.

rovernments is able to thumph past six years." over the other, the Japanese evernment of China

eignbours this was one of majo, sowers aligned For the present, Japan has against Japan in World War II. cast her lot with the Western Although Japan and many of Democracies, particularly the form I enem es have signed United States. The attitude of

the San Francisco confirmee thinking on the recognition fear of death constantly with F the time being Japan problem or ped the task of having to make a custom that may be it at megarlance in years t Democracies are in agreement

wie beteve Japan is inclined the reagner Nationalist China The men dated not even rock. But it admitted that time and In today, or a limiting a finite of the presold be office the

TRADE ISSUE

and other things being equal, chances of recognition by at the Japanese would be inclined Japan Je nese are strongly anti- tween Communist China and

Communist. At the same time, Russia will not influence Japan The ordeal which the men however, the Japanese are prac-in favour of the Red regime in endured was described by Henry, heat people and many are in- China. Russia is Japan's tradi-Mignant the ship's engineer thorsed by the argument that tional enemy and the Japanese Jap n needs to trade with the are inclined to view Russia's

> derices in Japan argue that Japan does not need to trade with . Japan can find plenty of markets and law ma erials elsewhere Other pro-Nationalists say that will be no guarantee that a large and profitable trade will spring up between the two

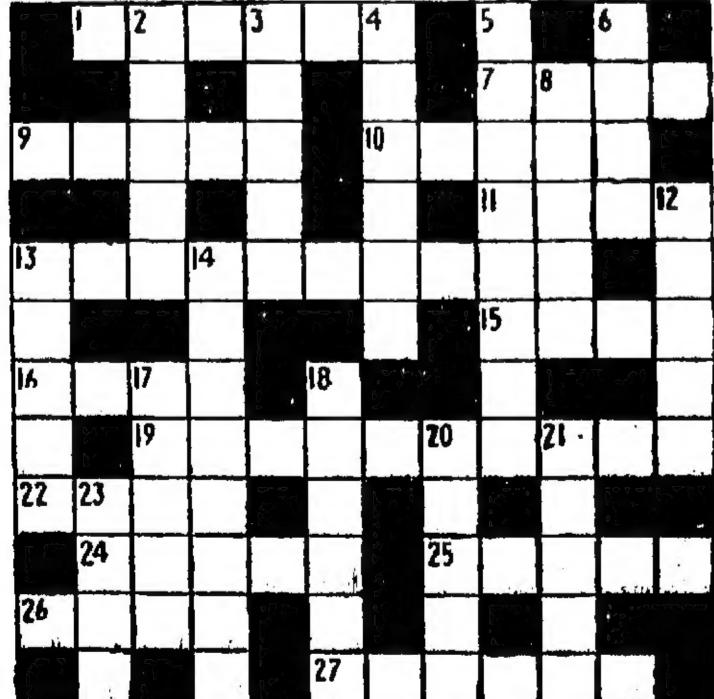
Some of those favouring recognition of the Peking Government claim that Japan must do business with her large anglibour in order to survive

Japanese Government officials window. are saying very little on the

me the delegates at the San long drop when he got out on-Francisco peace conference, Mr a window-ledge."

"As regards China, I confine my remarks to two points: "The first point is that like others we regret that disunity Victoria, General Sir Dallas prevents China from being here. Brook, and Lady Brooks, the . "The second is that the role of Chief Justice, Sir Edmund China's trade in Japanese

### British Crossword Puzzle



ACRUSS

1 Pal (6). 7 Downpour (4). a Liquid measure (5). 10 Dddy.

11 Ledge (4). 13 Translates orally (10). 15 Metal (4). 16 Sculptor's work (4). 19 Acknowledgement of

22 Noble (4). 24 Worth (6). 25 Staggers (5). 26 Maiure (4). 27 Pay up (0).

2' Coolc (5).... 17 Fight (6). 18 Tenders (6). 20 Fish (5).

21 Perfect (0).

23 Greedy (4).

BATURDAY'S CROSSWORD .-- Across: 1 Lulls, 4 Educed, 8 Canted, 10 Areas, 12 Verger, 14 Diocese, 17 Scar, 19 Patient, 20 Parasol, 22 Anew, 23 Tinting, 27 Classy, 29 Dross, 30 Empire, 31 Naction, 32 Hated, Down: 1 Lucid, 2 Lingo, 3 Sleve, 5 Drag, 5 Coerce, 7 Desert, 9 Despots, 11 Resist, 18 Realise, 10 Iran, 16 Crawls, 16 Anon, 29 Pardon, 21 Recoup, 24 Nymph, 26 Idiot, 20 Greed, 28 Asti.

Nationalist China.

If neither of the two Chinese proven by our experience of the as the legal.

China is one of Japan's Japanese still can jump in either

anti-Communist bloc undoubted-Charac was not represented at the will influence Japanese

the pre-ent political obser-

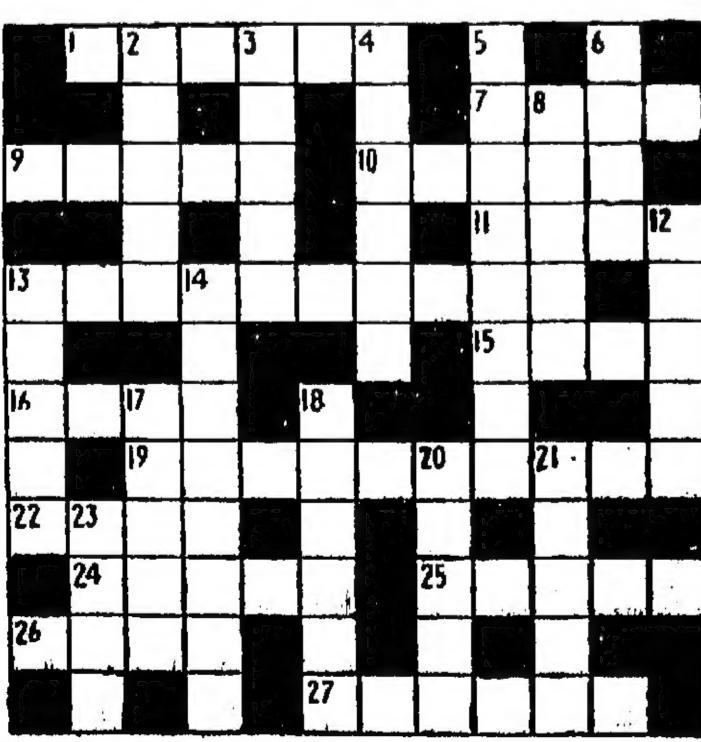
Some of the pro-Nationalist

in the present world economic marriage at which the wife ring goes.

Since they do not have to and the husband tried to leap make a decision immediately, out of a fifth floor hotel

There can be little doubt, at Norwich Divorce Court, future wife. however, as to how Premier "I don't think he would have head of the present Conserva- point, live Government and has no use for Communism. Address-

Yoshida said: often been exaggerated, as



DOWN

3 Come in (6). 4 Wish for eagerly (6). 5 Hairs (8). 6 Beak (4). 8 Get up (8). 12 Burdened (5). 18 Permente (6). guilt 14 Praised (8).

### The Taft Family Of The United States



### Baronet Story Of Tell Romance

London, Nov. 25. The 48-year-old baronet and the 19-year-old London night-club hostess whose ten-day engagement came to a sudden end have told what they thought of their brief romance.

To Sir John Heygate it was "a bit of a problem, old boy." To Miss Nadia Diane Cooperman "We steamed out to sea for 14 Communist-controlled mainland friends with a great deal of it was "just too crazy." Here are their stories:

OVER THE BORDER

border in Eire.

artistic career.

as President of Israel.

"I suppose there are residence

DR. WEIZMANN

SWORN IN

The ceremony was held at the

both, south of Tel-Aviv, instead

Welzmann's poor health. He is

Tel-Aviv, Nov. 25.

wedding was off as he left his ex-wives are alive-well and a set-back. estate at Bellarena, Co. London- happily married, thank good derry, to meet his new flancee, ness -with more children. Mrs. Mrs Dora Gillespie, aged 44, Gillespie has an ex-husband don H.Q. since it advertised for who comes from Co. Donegal. going strong somewhere, "I suppose it was my fault." said Miss Cooperman. "I am so inquiring into this marriage need altering, and on how to

"He met me at the Panama | the regulations which have to be smoothly. Club on Saturday night a fort- complied with in Northern Irenight ago. On Monday he was land: round at my hotel with a large diamond ring. I put it on my a London, Nov. 25. middle finger, but he joked A young husband and wife about it and replaced it on the qualifications." Sir John lives at came to a point in their finger where an engagement Bellarena, 80 miles from Belfast.

> THOUGHT IT A JOKE Then we went to all his clubs-

But, said Judge Carey Evans told his friends I was his "Sir John is brilliant at evolving and women and child welfare "I still thought he was joking, ed. "He'll find the answer. Shigeru Yoshida feels. He is jumped when it came to the but after a bit I began to think I was really going to be married.

"He says it looked a very Shortly after he had to go bank to his estate in Ireland. He thing like that yet." wrote every day and phoned every evening. The attitude of 28-year-old "Before long I began to Mrs Heather Norma Harston realise the whole thing was just

could not be said to be cruelty. too crazy. the judge declared. He refused "Finally he rang me up and the petition of her 30-year-old said a former girl friend of husband, John Michael Harston, his, Mrs Gillespie, was coming of Drayton, Norfolk, a company over and should he go out with

> "I had already realised I had been made a fool of, and I said: Yes, anything you like." "I suppose the engagement

A cross-petition by Mrs Harston, also alleging cruelty, was never officially broken off. but I had already returned all The judge said that the his presents. There was the couple were married in 1946. ring with a big stone, the fur The wife, a P.T. instructress, coat, and lots of books and (Parliament) swore in the pulled her husband back from the hotel window, and calmed With Sir John at Belfast was by the Knesseth last week by

flancee No. 2, Mrs Dora Gillespie, 85 votes against 111. mother of five daughters, of "I think she was quite per- Malin Hall, Co. Donegal, whom President's residence at Rehomitted to say, 'Not tonight he plans to marry soon. tomorrow night, without think- The problem is they don't of at Jerusalem because of Dr ing that anyone would take know how they are going to be

grandchildren, three sons and three daughters-inlaw on the front porch of the Taft summer home in Murray Bay. — London Express.

Married People Are So Shy

Robert and his wife-

pose with their nine

London, Nov. 25. The Royal Commission on Sir John announced that the As Sir John put it. "My two Marriage and Divorce has had

Only a trickle of replies has reached the Commission's Lonopinions on why marriages "I have never bothered break up, on what laws, if any business. I am not sure about make domestic life run

The deluge of "hints on home life" which the Commissioners had hoped to be sorting out by now have-frot arrived. Only a few witnesses have volunteered to discuss their personal ex-

The Commission knew many Mrs Gillespie lives over the ordinary housewives and husbands would be shy at offering Mrs Gillespie, hatless, with their help and advice to start "I thought he was joking a leopard-skin coat, her with, but they felt most of the chestnut-coloured hair sweeping organisations representing the and there are quite a few. He her shoulders, looked happy, churches, the medical profession

periences.

plots for his novels," she declar- | would have responded earlier. Among questions to be raised "I haven't got an engagement are the Pope's recent pronouncement on birth control; ring," Mrs Gillespie said, "and whether childless marriages or we haven't got down to any. separation for seven years are sufficient reasons for divorce; She said Miss Cooperman had how married women's incomes been "very sweet about everyshould be taxed; and other probthing" and wanted to pursue an lems of wives' property.

### Freighter Safe Tokyo, Nov. 25.

The marine safety authorities lonight reported that the Panamanian freighter Kapie is proceeding to Yokohama under her A 21-gun salute was fired

own steam. today when Dr Chaim Weizmann The Kapie radioed distress took the oath on his re-election signals early today from a position 300 miles east of the The President of the Supreme Japanese coast. The distress Court, Dr Moshe Smoira, and the Speaker of the Knesseth mescage said that big seas had her engine-room damaged frames. President, who was re-elected

The Kapie radioed tonight, requesting the Japanese rescue vessel Muroto to turn back and said: "Proceeding at six knots."

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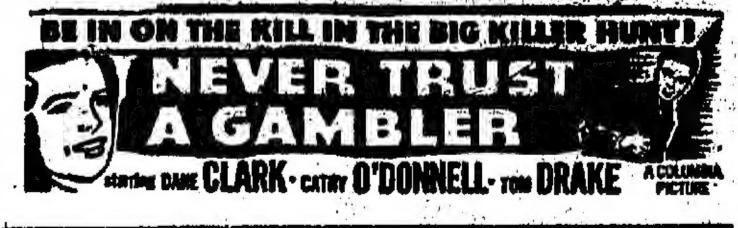


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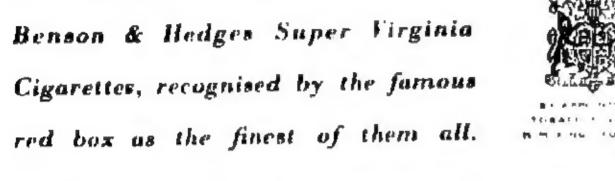
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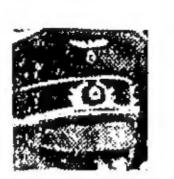
## The BLUNDERERS

### Who was to blame for defeat—Hitler or his generals?

E have had the despatches, the official documents and the memoirs of World War II. Now begins the melting-down process and the shaping of the ingots of history.

The Teutonic passion for documentation, the garrulousness of Hiller, and the Nuremberg trads provide an embarrassment r of evidence as to why Germany I d the war. There is so much that there is something for almost every part of view

strategy No matter how hard stantiate the view that neither page an-hole healty. Germany's were any more gifted than those causes of defect they spring who fought and defeated them. back at him in an untidy array. The two most dangerous



IT may be al- was are that Hitler was a mill-

If Hitler had waited until he but it is even attractive enough had a stronger Navy before he to form the busis of profitatticked Polard, if he had been making Hollywood films. Most more conscious of the value of people prefer to believe that U-boats, if he had been strong Remmel was a great strategist enough to invade England in instead of accepting the evidence 1940, if he had been less con- that he was not. templious of the Mediterranea: thistire Hitter might have done better Mr Hinsley never says he might have won the wars.

Mr Hunsley has been relying charly on German naval decumen's and his bias is natural. But a good case could equally be made for attributing the Geomens' faithire to a weak air

Just a f.w more aeroplanes tle of Britain and the necess- Poland; they objected the tide in the Modiferranean: woong and himself right.

a difficult time with Hitler. The micre stooges unable to protec himself constantly being balked power. by, what can only be called. Ribboutrop, early in 1941 intuition. Mr Hinsley sellom could, with a straight face, tell

bis having avoided a war on two questions at the present time' fronts and then attack Russia, and suggest that the Japanese He could talk of a war of 15 might find Hitler's advice helpyears' duration and act as if he ful in planning their attack on cop. '.d r to end m a few Singapore. menths. He could understand the need to keep America neutral and yet urge Japan to enter othe war. He could speak of the reed to starve England into submission and yet not plan for the U-bea's needed to do the



brief Mr Hinsley

British Embassy over 20 head.

waiting for an increase in mansion next door.

The only thing they are who help to boost British

not certain about is just Government spending in Paris

going to be, but they hope the Embassy, is the British

it will be somewhere near Marshall aid plan delegation to

the 20 percent rise in the Paris, and it, too, has a fully

French cost-of-living index. fledged ambassador of top rank,

With their present the Champs-Elysees, and they,

embassy to the British tax. they are moving their 30,000-

across the river.

how much the increase is yearly to about £1,000,000.

officials, twice the pre-war

their cost - of - living

allowances, for which they

have been long agitating-

The increases will make the

Paris Embassy nearly as

expensive as the one in

payer is £1,000 a year.

Their pay-packets and allow-

He lives in the Embassy, which

he is currently sharing, and his

two Rolls-Royces, with Mr

entes already total £250,000,

Washington.

nearly £20,000.

Anthony Eden.

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by MILTON

is more important in that it is have are not still further evidence (cut that Hitler's much more was needed) to sub-Hansley" tries to Hitler nor his military advisers myths likely to survive the last

tractive to all tary genius who was stabbed tirbute. Ger- in the back by his generals; and many's downfall that the generals were military to a mishandling roun who were foiled by Hitler The fable of the invincibility of the Navy and of the German General Staff a failure to grasp dies hard. Not only is it sure to he significance of scapower be currented in a Fourth Reich,



YET the facts convincingly destray both myths: Germany's carly successes were achieved in face

of the most determined opposition on the part of German generals and ad-

G. arrals resigned over Czecho-Slevaka, they protested ove says conditions for invasion in Norway, they meaned about 1940 Just a few more para- France Yet Hitler, with only chutists might have enabled intuition and Allied unpreparedthem to capture Malta and turn ness to and him, proved their

The historian is bound to have After that his advisors were facts may seem to add up, but him from his rashest and most they never quite do. The student stupid decisions. They had lest | conect rating on logic will find his respect and with that, their

Matsuska that the Fuehrer wa-Theis Hitler could boast about "the greatest expert on military



mvasion of England, his stubborn determina-Russia, his unier-estimation of Royal Family.

mability to realise the significance of the Mediterrant ab have revealed him for the incompetent amateur he undoubtedly was.

of his propositions is seldom the major blame for Germany's defeat. The rest of the H: reguments are rarely blame can be shared between his generals and his admirals.

This staff has grown so much

Waiting, too, for cost-of-liv-

ing rises are about 100 more

servants of the British Govern-

ment who live in Paris and

Waiting across the way from

Sir Edwin Hall Patch, and his

staff of about 40 includes three

Ministers and four counsellors.

The increases will be given

to the 25 staff of the British

Council, who have their own

mansion hidden modestly be-

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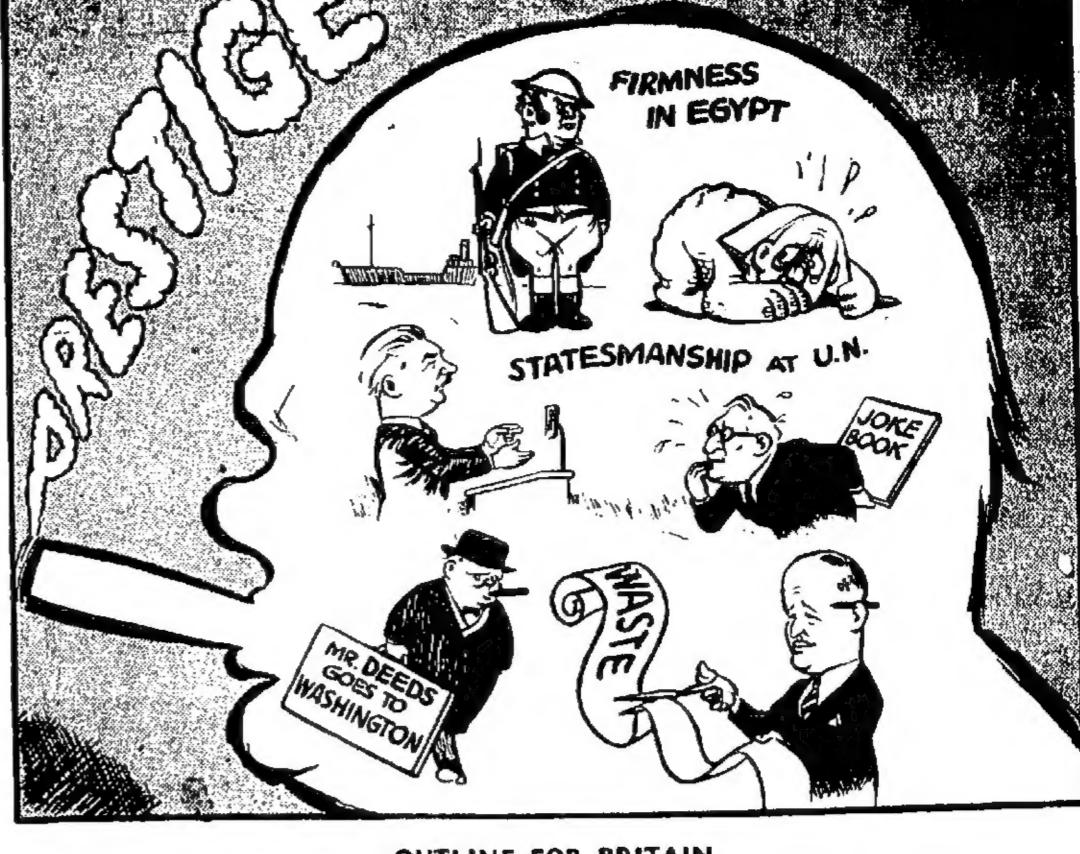
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Unlike the Americans, who polish up their English.

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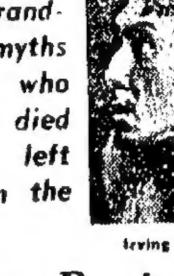


OUTLINE FOR BRITAIN



To - day his grandson explodes the myths made fortunes, died penniless and left crowds weeping in the streets

by Beverley Baxter, MP



massive biography and taste. of his grandfather, Sir Henry Irving, is priced at 50s., which is a lot of money for a book. It is as long as three novels-which is a lot of wordsentertain the eye.

To save time and to borfirst and then call the evidence. This is the best biography I have read for our eyes.

By some miracle involved the most famous figures of that time including critics, fellow actors, politicians and even the

no enduring evidence of his gifts. When he has spoken At his clay feet must be placed his last word upon the stage it is doubly true that the rest is silence. At best he becomes a legend, sub-

strength even though only half

Durrant, who has been 45 years

in railway service, said: "We

get so much work to do, even

though we do not handle as

many people, that we are as

busy as we were before the

accommodation for the French

war) also get the rise.

AURENCE IRVING'S ject to the vagaries of time Irving was not a passionato

set about Irving with wit and Irving to the list. and has 88 illustrations to venom, and did it so successfully that most of us have come to believe that Irving was nothing none than the greatest ham row the legal procedure of actor of his time, pompous, smug, Alice in Wonderland I pro- without conscience, and selfishly pose to give the verdict playing the ogre to Ellen Terry as the dumsel in distress.

repertory apprenticeship Glasgow, Edinburgh and Dublin. the scene. years. The author makes As John Henry Brodribb he Irving live and die before was the descendant of a long apologised to the audience, and line of sturdy, unimaginative then made the inebriate play West Country farmers who the scene all over. Next day Mr were of the earth, earthy in Irving summoned the whole us a life that rings with end of her life predicted that your profession," he said, HITLEII'S shert- truth. Never once does he her unfortunate son would not telling me that this fellow sighted planning intrude his own prejudices come to a bad end. Yet un- was drunk. By your misplaced

### THEY JEERED AND HOOTED

IN those days audiences did An actor, unlike a writer the critics. Young Brodribb he had the attitude of the true or painter, can leave was jeered at, hooted, applaud- artist. Money was something to ed and forgotten. But he never be spent in production, not to became embittered or dis- be hoarded. He made fortunes

> He knew that he was ungainly in his movements and that his voice was sometimes muffled, and he realised that acting was one of the most skilled of professions. Without influence and without help he made his way through such dis- heer melodrama and couragements as would have Shaw-Ibsen challenge of character.

PARIS. Mr W. G. Hayter, and after come and ask for books him come a dozen counsellors and then they ask 'Do we alunhappy and attaches, navy, military, low the French to have them, luxurious air, civil air, and scientific, all too?' It gets tiresome explainmansions of the rosting approximately £4,000 a ing that we are here to serve respectability of O'Callaghan appealed to Also on the list for allowance and he found pleasure in her since the war that the Embassy increases are the BBC's staff of infatuation. But after marriage strength, are confidently has purchased for £300,000 the six in the Avenue Hoche, who she resented his mode of life, have a floor to themselves for Irving loved to stay up late above a private cinema seating after the play and enjoy good 100 which is financed by the company, good wine and es-British Foreign Office so that pecially good cigars. Like Mr Parisians can have a free film Churchill, he could smoke a eigar at seven o'clock in the The British Railways staff of (also twice pre-war

The struggle of the normal as many Frenchmen are going woman and the artist husband to England than did before the is as old as the caves, and eventually these two parted Their chief, Mr Clement without a divorce although two sons had been born.

### FIRST NICHT BOX FOR WIFE

war. It is difficult to get hotel WHEN success began to come Iving, clwsys desiring respectability, agreed to live at home again. But one night, wished collapsing on the stage after a successful premiere at "Nothing will persuade them the Lyceum, he gave a party He was buried in the Abbey allowances, which even the too, have taken another house that the food there is good, and for his friends and was flam- and his ashes were laid at the Foreign. Office men admit in the Avenue de Chanaleilles I am going to ask the railways boyantly, exhibitionist despite feet of his beloved Shakespeare to restore the pre-war cheap the warning glances of his and at the side of his fellow are generous, the average It is one of the architectural ticket facilities which the com- wife.

"Most of the French who go are youngsters and they go at four in the morning she said the burial of Nelson. little farther than Newhaven, he had made a fool of himself. With this book Sir. Henry and all they want to do is Without a word of protest he Irving emerges from the mists. merely stopped the driver and No. doubt a film of his life will with top-ranking. Ambassador make a quarterly charge for Mr Durrant could not break got out, never to return to her, now be made, and certainly it Sir Oliver Harvey pulling in French people using their down his figures to show how But he always sent her a box offers ample material for one. library, the British one is free many Frenchmen went to Bri- for his first nights and she al- But the film should be made in to its 2,000 registered cus- tain in Festival Year, but the ways hoped that he would have England, and with an actor British Travel and Tourist a failure. His friends said he capable of portraying the pom-Librarian Robert Milner likes Office in the Place Vendome never acted his best when she posity that was often only a the change from the busier said that in Festival Year was present but in the name pose, and the relentless realism After Sir Oliver comes Champs-Elysces. He said: "It 87,000 went to Britain, whereas of respectability he wanted her with which Irving flooded his £10,000 a year Plenipotentiary is annoying. British people 750,000 British flooded Paris. I to be there in full view.

man, preferring in fact the cool glades of companionship with More than anyone else Shaw elder women. In his own way was determined that the Irving he was undoubtedly in love legend would not go unchal- with Ellen Terry and suggested lenged. From the moment that marriage to her, but although the Irishman transferred from she was always marrying somemusical too dramatic criticism he one or another she did not add

### THE MAN WHO WAS

DRUNK

TN his long tenure at the 1 Lyceum as actor-manager, producer and financier, he was a merciless disciplinarian. On Irving had served a harsh one occasion an actor came on drunk and hopelessly spoiled

Irving stopped the play and Laurence Irving has given was deeply religious, and to the tongue. "You were disloyal to for the projected upon the controversies that doubtedly his force of character kindness you not only endanbut you ruined his career.

In rehearsal he was relent less yet patient. No one allowed to speak a word. He would take an hour to achieve what he wanted even I not leave the verdicts to minor situation. As for money, and died penniless, which was what he intended.

### HIS TEARS WERE

TT must be remembered that I he was the link between broken the spirit of anyone play of ideas. Above all he rewithout tremendous force of garded himself as Shakespeare's chamberlain. He played Hamlet. Shylock. Othello, Henry V and even took on Romeo when without perhaps being unfor- he was in his forties. One night tunate. No doubt the innate he played lago, and when Ellen Florence Terry, as Desdemona, asked him what she could do to win back the love of her lord, she did it so beautifully that real tears poured down his face.

Then with the improvisation of a great actor he pretended that they were mock tears and made fun of them. The critics hailed it as genius.

Crowned with success he stormed America and carried everything before him and like a good trouper he took in Canada as well. Back in London he had become so powerful a figure that the Prince of Wales frequently stood in the wings to enjoy a performance, and Gladstone, when Chancellor of the Exchequer, actually was one of the crowd on the stage and was spotted by the audience—which was not what Gladstone intended.

He died as he would have and living only a few hours. vagabond David Garrick. Great crowds lined the streets and Driving home in a brougham wept unashamed: It was like

generation in romanticism.

By R. M. MacColl

RIED EGGS No. 1: The members of the Senate Armed Forces Committee are very angry men, Just a year ago they pointed out in a report that the taxpayers were being put to considerable expense because the Army and the Agriculture Department could not manage to get to-gether. While the Army went or buying millions of pounds of dried eggs at one price, there were other millions of pounds of the stuff on effer at a much lower price.

Now, a year later, nobody, say the Senators, has done mything about it except "write some polite letters." And, add the aroused law-makers, "our reports are not written as ..erary exercises."

DRIED EGGS No. 2: Remember those astronomical figures about the rumber of pounds of dried eggs which were put into a 14-acre underground cave in Kansas by the U.S. Government some back, as part of an enormous food storage programme? (The limestone cave could easily h ld 3,000 loaded wagons).

Now the Agricultural Department has handed over the cave (rent 20,000 dollars yearly, with only cold water) to "another Government department," whose intentions and operations are so top secret that il must remain, so far as the is concerned, just "another Gevernment departnient."

HARVEY MELBER, aged 18, was wanted for a mail robbery at Mauch Chunk, Pennsylvania. But he figured, when he picked up the telephone in Miami Beach, Florida, to call his raients in Fort Devens, Massechusetts, that he was far from trouble. Wrong. Boston authorities, tipped that the call was being made, rushed one of their own to Miami Beach police.

Long before Harvey had caught up on all the news from home there were men in blue knocking on the door of the

INCENTIVES to free enterprise? Pittsburgh has the answer. There the Jones and Laughlin Steel Corporation announced that it has received approval from Washington for a new plan which will allow workers to boost their earnings by as much as 35 percent.

What it boils down to is that workers are encouraged to use their machines all-out. Thus, if a man has an hourly rate of \$2 and uses his machine at only 74 percent of full capacity he will receive just his \$2. But if he uses it to full capacity, he gets \$2.70. Happy blessings from the unions on all this,

After a New York grand jury investigation, nine prople, including four doctors, have been indicted on charges of making half a million dollars in the past four years by selling babies on a black mar-

Several hundred were involved, and the going price ranged from £450 to as much as £1,400 an infant.

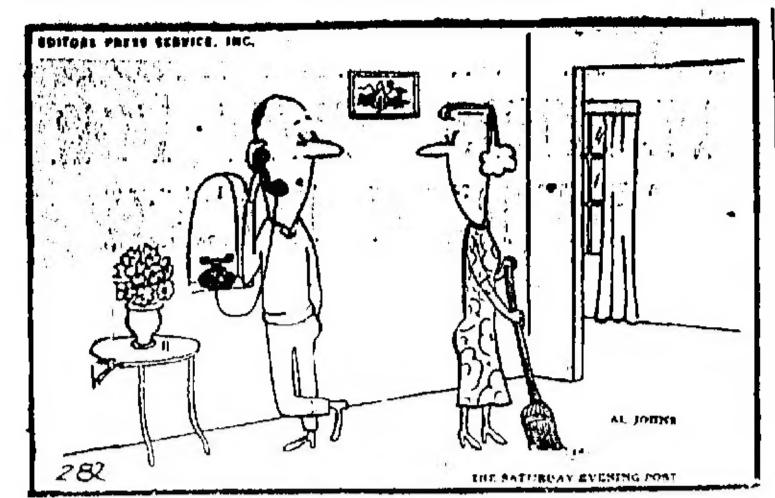
AMERICANS are caling less butter and sweet potatoes. And the Burcau of Agricultural Economics forecasts that the trend will continue downwards next year. But up will go the consump-

tion of poultry, beef, milk, icecream, and fruit juice. TO the ordinary man and his wife, the most important statistic in the world is the cost of living index. And a committee of M.P.s

down in Wathington heartily concurs. It calls it "the most important single statistic Issued by the Government because at affects the pay envelopes of men and women more than any other single



"Get me comrade Fatouk on



"Can't talk now, Harry . . that's right, within three feet of me . . .

### · BY · THE · WAY · by Beachcomber

I Teach your dog to batk courit her seat in a bus 1 Track it to conline it attena Remained d if it bites sortes plus who has fried to stroke it. a If it worries sheep remember blin in mitellectual supermon that it may be feeling ill used was undated when the boy failed Take it to an animal psychiatrist to answer quickly enough the questry to get to the cause of its test times 1,231,567 " What a humilia-

ack them again. It has sign that may your dog objects to then in passing

temporarily from the promises task churchish way, that I they were lost of destruction, is worth while I they were too small to be found i like to see them playing the foot gave ent my words it appears that like happy children and I have several million of these little laves read with delight of an experiment were mislaid, and then found bickmade in Texas. They have built a ing shyly in a corner Reading from room in which the noise contained left to right, their names were.

put in this room a piece of cloth. Then, later, they 'squirt in a dogs, giving the owners guidance sound cocktail," which contains all on how to bring up their audible sounds Delicate Instruanumals, may I suggest one or ments register all this, and even seem ridioulous, but who does not tenusly when an old woman gives profer it to experiments in germ-

Letting his father down

A CHICAGO man who led his 5 If it graws hats and gloves, tion "How much is 435,621,789 then for him when people asked. 6 If it bites strangers der not 'How is that boy of yours shap-

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is more important than the letter of

for others. You can win out GEMINI (May 22-June 21)—

travagant another day! Get what

know what you are doing

VIRGO

nelp themselves

LEO (July 24-Aug.

Unexperted news may

Follow your own dream now!

BARBS

Intuition vergling on psychic powers,

can be 9 to solve a unportant

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)-

1 is an auspictous day, but helping

vourself is also a very good idea.

Heaven approves of the g who first

BY HAL COCHRAN

A Missouri judge ruled it

okay for a wife to go through

her husband's pockets while he

was asleep. In most cases, he

should get up and help her hunt.

A Boston professor says that

Many magazine editors

poetry is a spontaneous achieve-

wish it were capable of spon-

Some dumb waiters are pulled

A man was robbed when he

stopped his car for a traffic signal. Red always has been a

POCKET CARTOON

ARTIE'S HEADLINE

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up by a rope. Others don't de-

taneous combustion.

serve a tip.

### YOUR BIRTHDAY .... By STELLA

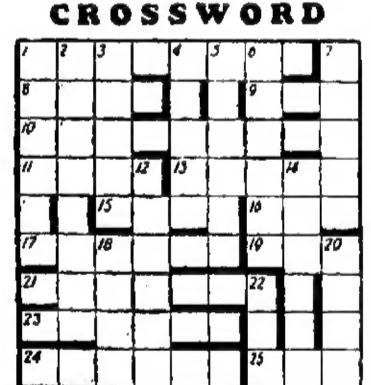
### MONDAY, NOVEMBER 26

TOCHN form your exceptionally As a lawyer for the defence 15 strong will booke and you, peablic thieral in a politician, you made loss of merce are two tout would be just, honograble and conthat will dominate your life Your scientions. You might aspire to complete control over your emotions, serve with distinction. Although you Once you decide to do something it are logical, analytical and always could almost be said to have been weigh all evidence you are also able accomplished) Once you start on a to consider the human element as project you don't give up until the well. The individual you believe world you leave to be a belter one. To those who know you well you than that into which you were born are genuinely warm-hearted and You are more than willing, even affectionate. You are beloved by eager, to help those who are helping your family and should have a themselves to the utmost. But you happy and contented marriage have no use for the lary dodger of To find what the stars have in store duty and make no bones about for tomorrow, select vous birthday

You are deeply interested in the the law of it betters the individual offnies of others and you want the and society in general admitting your dislike for such a star and read the corresponding person. You believe that hard work paragraph. Let your buthly sta solves almost all problems

### be your daily guide TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 27

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 22)- TAURUS (Apr. 21-May 21)-Make your greatest efforts to achieve Action is the keynote for today but your immediate goal trefare lunch, proceed with tact and consideration | hold the ace." time. After that, relax CAPRICORN (Dec 23-Jan. 20)-De generous and offer a neighbour Exercise thrift and the resulting your help without being asked for benefits will allow you to be ex-Your reward can be great AQUARIUS (Jan. 21-Feb. 19)-A good day to increase your earning power and make plans for saving part of thou that "lamy day PISCES (Feb. 20-Mar Don't permit your letter-writ-to get too far behind. Take time out now to keep it up to date ARIES (Mar. 21-Apr. 20)-He diligent, in all activities you wan find I pays. A spurt in progress is the numediate result



. This is what you are after, 18, Ungrammatically declares that am the unknown quantity. (4) This is county and. (3) 10. A walk here would please Dan Where Lois came from? (4)

13. "Let's — the polita." (5)
15. Regiment goes without tea as rule. (4) 16. That open space. (3) 17. Blow up 1 (6) 19. Briefly, the rest. (3)
21. Chin protector? (7)
23. Bort of ship Don possesses. (6) Colloquially swindle. (6) 25. Cost of a safe executive. (3)

Down Rest as ties do. (6) Bo, let nothing be upset. (B) 3. Piled in a pleasant manner, (5) Rated as commerce. (3) Instinctive. (6) 6. Fruit (6) Thoroughly soak. (5) Be a mixture Lil | (6) 14. A Celt at the stockyard, (6) 18. Often precedes Britannia, (4) 20. Just possibly a sugar one. (4) 23. Fairy of those selfish times. (3)

Solution of Saturday's puzzlo .- Across 1. Excursion: 6. League: 9. Sap: 11. inure: 12. Ante: 15. Tally-ho: 15. Iris: 10. Bran: 18. Gaudy: 20. Sail: 22. Stop: 25. Tie: 24. Son: 26. Stub. Bown: 1. Elicit: 2. Caution: 5. Rue: 4. Scal: 5. Oath: 7. Entrust: 8. Grass: 9. Snv: 10. Pronv: 14. Leancy: 16. Baits: 17. Adien: 19. Ass: 20. Spv: 21. Cab.

### Check Your Knowledge

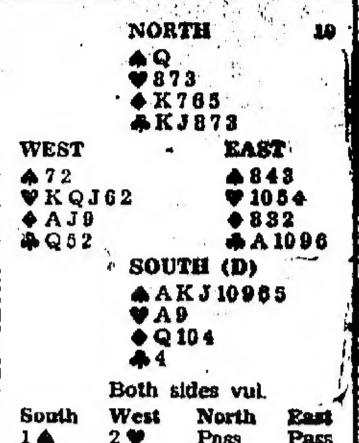
1. Name the only English lding to be honoured with the title "The Great." Name the author of "Uncle Tom's Cabin.!!...

J. Who is called the "Pather. df American Democracy"? 4. What seus are connected the Kicl Canal? Canal opened officially? G. The pistachio nut is na what countries?

(Answers on Page

### . JACOBY ON BRIDGE

Watch for Players' Human Reactions



### By OSWALD JACOBY

Pass

Pass

Opening lead--- K

**WOU** may be tempted to deny I it at times, but the simple truth is that bridge players are Tanman beings. I do not point this out to win your sympathy for them, but just to show you how to take advantage of them. Let's take a simple example. Today's hand was played in the recent national championships in Washington The bidding was identical at two tables but one declarer made has contract and the other lost it The reason is very instructive.
At the first table, South won the first trick with the acc of hearts,

aid down the ace of spades and followed with four more rounds of trump in rapid succession. West dual some trouble finding three harmless diseards, but he eventually released a club and two hearts. East discarded a low club and a low diamond. The net result was that South had discovered nothing. The first declarer then continued by leading his singleton club toward ed low naturally enough. South

thought about this for a while and decided that West was a good enough player to play low even if he had the acc. So South decided to put up dummy's king of clubs. The rest of the defence was easy East took the nee of clubs and returned a diamond at once. Dummy was permitted to win with the king of dramends, and then South had to mand agreens to have almot reach the bench where you could lose two diamonds and a heart At the other table, South was no

technician. He just knew human nature He won the first trick with the ace of hearts and led his singletun club at once At this table also West unhest tatingly played low, natural enough But at this table West lack of a problem was very revea-

The second declarer said: "When I fired that club right at him, West wasn't expecting it If he held the ace, the chances were better than even that he'd play it right away. Even if he didn't play his see, he nsight still hesitate or indicate in some way that he had a problem. But when he played a low club without batting an eye, I would have bet ten to one that he didn't

CANCER (June 22-July 23)-Q-Today's bidding west bunch and held it up. "Have you see the place where I grew?" Distant friends and relatives may be East deserving of a letter. Let them 1 Diamond Pass | Spade Pass 2 Diamonds Pass You, South, hold: Spades A-Q-8-7-3, Hearts Q-J-4, Diamonds Q-7-2, happiness that you had hardly believed possible Be ready to Clubs A-J. What do you do? A-Bid three no-trump Your hand would be a sound opening bid (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)if you were the dealer. When your Originality of idea and action can partner opens the bidding opposite contribute to increased prestige. your strength, you must make sure of getting to game wherever a fit LIBRA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)can be found. You have already

> no-trump play. TODAY'S QUESTION The bidding is the same as in the question just answered. You, South, hold: Spades A-Q-8-7, Hearts K-J-10-4, Diamonds 7-4-2, Clubs J-What do you do? Answer tomorrow.

anggested your meter suit, and now

you must indicate the full strength

of your hand and its suitability for

### CHESS PROBLEM

By O. STOCCHI Black, 13 pteces. 

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White, 10 pieces. White to play! mate in two. Solution to Saturday's

problem: 1, K-R8; threat 2, B-B8, 1...  $R \times B$ ; 2, P - K6 (dis ch); 1 . . . P-B6; 2, Q-Kt8 (ch).

### INTELLIGENCE TEST DUCDAME

By T. O. HARE DUCDAME is a social organipeculiar rules. One of its
rules is that, whereas the
general committee is elected
by buildt, the executive is
chosen by lot. The names of
the men who are serving on
the general committee are put
into one pat; the names of
the women into another; and the three men and three women whose mens around the appropriate hat constitute the executive this year there is one more than verying on the general committee than was the came many year and also one more women the are three times as the executive as rections for the executive as reactive as the case more more men than the there are three more men on the general committee.

(Solution on Page 10)

# WOMANSENSE

CRYSTAL

Sophisticated or romantic? It's her question for winter

~~~~ EILEEN. ASCROFT's COLUMN  $\sim\sim$ 

THE 1951 winter fashion silhouette has a split personality. One half is sophisticated, super-elegant. The other is feminine and romantic. Both are favoured by top designers in Paris. London and New York.

LINE No. 1 retains the slim straight skirt, tiny waist and sloping shoulders, but has full magyar sleeves, important hip pockets and a high stand-up collar. Example of this new elegance was Greta Garbo's striking black dress worn at a recent West End party, with a neckline that "plunged" to the

LINE No. 2 has a full skirt, slightly longer than last season. with soft unpressed pleats or bell-shaped (a good 70in, round the hem), worn over stiffened petticoats. With this we have a high, outlined bustline, soft shoulders and a minute waist. Mary Martin has brought a

grey flannel cocktail gown from

America with one of these full

skirts and a jewel-encrusted bodice. With it she wears matching flannel court shoes. Examples of both silhouettes are already in the shops. If you cannot decide between them, try No. I for everyday wear and No. 2 for a cocktail gown. If your budget runs to only one new

gown, you will find the straight,

slim skirt more practical: leave

By MAX TRELL

shadows with turned-about

at the end of the street," Knart

holding in his hand and spoke

Muffled Voice

voice seemed to come from in-

the peel down a bit. "I did,"

the banana repeated in a much

clearer voice. "And it's a silly

"Because I don't come from

"Why?" said Mr Merlin.

whispered something.

there's where I grew."

"Oh, yes; South America.

So Startled

look so puzzled. little bear, he chuckles. Come. I'll show you something quite wonderful. Lending him to where a lot of branches.

ed muffled, so Mr Merlin pulled nos.

"Did you hear what he

this, did a curious thing.

said promptly.

just said, Ban?"

answer."

saying to Knarf and Hanid, the cise.

-The Way To Find Out Is To Ask a Banana!-

names, as he plucked one off the "Would you like to come and

any idea where it comes from?" the banana said. "It's very far

Mr Merlin, when he heard they would like to go-pour! in

"It comes from the fruit-stand knows a short-cut."

turned to the banana he was flying through the air.

Mr Merlin leaned close and ing up out of it.

mean, grew down. Anyway, brothers and

talking that they could hardly

more than "Oh-oh!" Mean-

away, but Mr Merlin says he

Mr Merlin smiled and nodded,

And the next second they

were standing on the ground in

the middle of a large grove of

Quite Tall

standing besides them.

this-" he said.

something even more rare than the

ice-flower. nave the man it a vary precious and it will get you home. When the takes strips of back

from the branch, then he overrums the sledge and carefully nails the strips to the cumers.

Rupert and the Ice-flower-35

and when Knarf and Hanid said

He an instant they felt themselves

the beli-line for spring.



CHRISTIAN DIOR features the high waist effect in his mid-season collection. Small boleros are curved to accentuate the bustline. On evening models he outlines the bust with ribbons, as on this blue fulle picture gown, embroidered with crystal. The ribbons are of deeper blue volves and also form a halter neckline, which has replaced the old strapless top.

### This Sauce Adds Epicure Touch to Variety of Dishes

By ALICE DENHOFF

FOR your consideration to— in a bowl and beat in electric day, we offer a group of dishes mixer until blended, one c. cotthat are satisfying without tage cheese, an 8-oz. tin tomato being stuffy, sturdy enough yet sauce, 4 c. each salad oil and light in flavour and texture, chili sauce and the chopped foods that use plenty of vitally onion.

important dairy products. Sefambled eggs with shrimps Cheumbers with mushrooms again to construct the construction of the Cucumbers with mushrooms adds up to a fine luncheon, supand mint, for instance, adds per or brunch special. Melt 4 up to a delightful and different them butter in a heavy pan; add one small chopped onion and

Tring 3 small cucumbers, one sliced mushroom, simmering peel only 2 but cut all 3 into 4 to 5 min. Add 1/2 c. sliced, slices 1-inch thick. Cover with cooked shrimps and 2 peeled, cold water and bring to a boil, sliced tomatoes. Shake over fire and drain; reserve cucumber for 2 min. Add 4 eggs mixed

### Cream Sauce

Melt 2 tbsp, butter over low heat; add 2 ibsp. flour and one c. stock, stirring until smooth and mixture comes to a boil. Season with 1/2 tsp. salt, dash of cayenne.

Add 4 tbsp. finely-sliced mushrooms and the cucumbers. cover and simmer gently until cucumbers are just soft; add more salt and pepper as needed, and keep hot over hot

Stir 1/4 c. cream into one slightly-beaten egg yolk; add to vegetables. Add 2 tsp. chopped fresh mint. Serve in heated casserole with fingers of 2 slices toasted bread.

### Mornay Sauce

The finer the restaurant, the wider its selection of excellent sauces, mixtures that are carefully prepared by expert sauciers and used to enhance the flavour of well prepared basic foods. Mornay Sauce, for instance, gives a tremendous lift to cooked greens, as well as to fish filets, lobster and other fish besides adding nourishment. In fact, it turns plain old spinach into an epicurean BOYS' AND GIRLS' MAGAZINE

Melt 2 thsp. butter in saucepan, and stir in 2 tosp. flour, ½ tsp. salt, dash of cayenne pepper. Gradually stir in one c. milk; stirring until mixture comes to a boil and thickens slightly. Add 1/2 tsp. dry mustard, 2 thsp. Parmesan type cheese and 3 tbsp. Gruyere type cheese and 3 thsp. cream. Simmer about 8 min., stirring occasionally.

### Dressing for Greens

And for a dressing that goes excellently with lettuce or mixed greens, try this one. Combine



with 1/2 tsp. salt, 1/8 tsp. pepper

and 2 tbsp. cream. Stir over low

fire until creamy. Serve on toast

Winter Flare

dusted with grated cheese.

A winter coat of simple but effective design in this model in Tescau Muscovite Embrose lamb. It has a flared back. small rounded collar and white wide, loose sleeves finished with a deep turned back cuff.

(Reuterphoto).

Felt Uncomfortable

### Knarf and Hanid said they

stumpy trees with enormous felt sort of uncomfortable hangcurving leaves like fans. And ing from a tree. "I did," said Ban — and the on each tree, half-hidden by the "Here comes somebody to take side the mellow peel. It sound- leaves, hung a cluster of bana- us down now," Ban said. "Don't

Knarf and Hanid at this mo-

down and his white head stick- a railway and the bananas all loaded on a freight car. Then they were taken to a ship and

banana, but Knarf and Hanid "There, didn't I tell you it and Mr Merlin as well were all would be interesting?" Mr and Hanid were so hanging in a bunch from the Merlin chuckled. "Now you startled to hear the banana banana tree. "Very interesting, know all about bananas."

# Where Do Bananas Come From? get around to saying anything 66 NOW take this banana," Mr while, Mr Merlin had leaned 7. Merlin the Magician was over again to whisper something

### Mr. Merlin shows Knarf and Hanid a banana tree.

### "being a banana?"

be frightened. He won't hurt

ment saw a brown-faced man coming along with a long knife. Their friend Ban was now He came over to the tree, glanced at the cluster of bananas He and with a quick zip of his knife the fruit-stand at the end of the seemed to have suddenly grown cut the whole bunch down. street at all. I was only bought quite tall, as tall as a man, Then he threw the bunch over there. I really come from - wearing a long, tight, yellow his shoulder and carried it to a from—say, where do I come coat closely buttoned up in cart where several other from anyway?" it suddenly askfrom, anyway?" it suddenly ask- front, with the collar rolled and by the cart was pushed to

"This is the tree that I grew the ship carried them far up on," he was saying proudly. North. And when they finally come from South America," it "As you might expect, it's a got up. North, they (or rather said to Knarf and Hanid banana tree, I grew in a some of them) were put in a "There's where I grew up-I bunch," he added, "with all my truck and taken to the corner sisters. Like fruit-stand-and then along came Mother, who bought them and carried them all home. And all at once, not only the

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# TWO BAD CALLS AND THE RAF BATTING MACHINE RUNS OUT OF GEAR

### The Scot, The Greek, The Iranian, Dodge, Sellors and the Zimmerns All Lend A Hand To A Great Victory

By "RECORDER"

Kowloon Cricket Club dismissed the RAF batting machine for \$7 runs at Cox's Road on Saturday to score one of the greatest victories of the year in the Cricket League.

Sent in to bat first, KCC knocked up 147 runs for eight wickets, getting well behind the clock until shortly before tea when Jim Sellors and Francis Zimmern livened things up.

RAF's batting machine started off at their usual quick pace after tea, but two bad calls disposed of Ken Ball and Graham and finally Robbie Lee held Roy Kingsford off Davidson at deep mid-off to throw it completely out of-gear.

able difficulty in getting Kings-

bowling well at this point and

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THUNDERBOLTS

By "OBSERVER"

by a youthful team which started a year ago almost from

son last year by winning the Junior Division title.

eleven, Senior Champions for line.

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bolts 0.

These were the Thunderbolts, who climaxed the sea-

AGAINST ARMY

knocked up 44 and looking boundary off McConville, good enough for a century in 20 more minutes.

Willie Davidson went on to culty against Kingsford's slow to do further damage. running out, deputy Kingsford, being caught behind skipper Pat Dodge pulled out the wicket by Bennion, who his trump card, putting on at put up a grand display in the the other end the Iranian from field. Abadan, the one and only Fall Kermani, who had two batsmen, leg before in no time.

### HAMMERED AWAY

Archie Zimmern and Fali Ker- time was running out. man; opened the batting for hammering away at RAF's opening bowlers, Me- in front of one of McConville's Conville and Kingsford,

Archie had reached 19 before ing contributed a painstaking 11, being dismissed by a good ball Pat Dodge came in and immedi- on Saturday is almost certain from Kingsford. He was swing- ately showed his intention of ing his bat freely enough to attacking the bowling. The spot in the Combined Services

GRAND

scratch.

The Airmen were at that register two glorious shots re- score had crept up to 70 in stage showing 81 runs on the miniscent of his great Interport about 80 minutes by that time. board with Kingsford having days, a hook and a cover drive DODGE AND SELLORS AGAIN Dodge lost Robbie Lee on the afternoon's maloo shot in play-Dour Willie Davidson went in ing Ball. In the post-mortem and put up his 24 runs slowly, later there was some support Then came disaster as being apparently in some diffi- for Ball having been kept on

take five wickets and, as time offbreaks. He finally fell to With Robbie Lee out of the way, Jim Sellors, who has alas a match-saver, to partner Dodge. with sober confidence. Johnny Leriou batted hesi-

Sellors and Dodge proceeded tantly, experiencing considerto demonstrate that the bowling could be punished. The ford away. Kingsford was partnership, as it has done in the past, changed the face of the game. Leriou, having put his foot

Endeavouring to put more runs on the board, Dodge was caught at the wicket by Jackson, who on his performance

Dodge had scored 24. The batsman who really made the fur fly was Francis Zimmern. who batted with abandon for an undefeated 23. Sellors continued undaunted to 18 when he fell to Bennion. first victim had been Dodge, KCC declared at 147 for eight wickets.

### WENT FOR THE RUNS

The Airmen lost no time in going for the runs. Though tied up by Davidson, off whom he only hit two balls cleanly, Yesterday's hockey league matches in the Men's "Tug" Wilson hit out to reach Division were highlighted by the grand display put up 15, after losing Ball on quick work in the field between Leriou and Archie Zimmern.

Wilson fingily admitted defeat, mutting his leg before one of Willie's offerings and then further good field work Promoted this year to the Army had the slighter advant between Sellors and Zimmern Senior Division, they had been tage in the first half. The in- had Graham run out with the winning game after game and clusion of Westmacott at centre- score at 18. Two bad calls, yesterday, though defeated, ex- forward in the forward line about which the less said the tended the powerful Army "A" gave more dash to the forward better, helped,

Roy Kingsford and Another successful new addi- Moorhouse settled down, howtion to the team was Major ever, despite all Willie Davidplayed at a Deighton, who played a forceful son's wiles and the situation pace, perhaps the attacking centre-half game. The began to look bad as the score

prominent department of the Kingsford could probably have passed 44 if he was hitting out left back time and again break- with less beef. Davidson placed ing up promising movements one nicely for him and Robbie Lee had little trouble holding it just short of the boundary.

Then came disaster. Davidson That the Thunderbolts did not (bowled one and one invited S. Samy at goal saved at least sent their leg), disposing of the

### OTHER MATCHES

bully just before the end of the team by seven wickets.

was drawn. In the Second Division i even a loud foul tip. The ex-heavyweight cham- A little variation in the angle of match at Kai Tak, KCC were The Madcaps collected a total him, it was lost again as Bob plon, Joe Louis, took on three wing dentres by the wing would all out for 40 and had the Air- of sight safe blows off speedball looked all over the outfield but The Baseballers committed Lamb have proved to be capable and forces champions on Sun-probably have make it more

### HOW THEY STAND Piret Division

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### AT HARRINGAY



There was a boxing sensation at Harringay Arena on November 15 when Yolande Pompee of Trinidad (right) defeated the Empire Middleweight Champion, Dave Sands of Australia, by a technical knockout in the seventh round.

Pompee weathered heavy punishment in the fifth round to make an electrifying recovery to smash his way through Sands' defence and open an ugly cut on the

Champion's eye. The referee stopped the fight with Sands helpless on the ropes in the seventh round.-Express Photo.

## Madcaps Claim Undisputed Leadership Division By "GRANDSTAND"

Madcaps claimed undisputed possession of the current League leadership when they edged out Jaguars 7-4 in a brilliant display on the field in which the Madcappers made almost impossible catches, while Canucks suffered their sixth consecutive setback when they dropped a 6-5 decision to Overseas Chinese, the winning run crossing the plate when a long fly to left field was lost in the sun.

In the "B" Division, Doc Molthen's Baseballers toppled the Warriors 17-16 in a free scoring game in which the leadership changed hands every inning, while Blue Sox returned to form and drubbed the Dodgers 12-6 in yesterday's curtain-

sight of their first triumph when winning run. they held a one run legd over. South China at the end of sixth inning, but after the Caroliners had levelled the score, the tussle dragged on to the tenth frame before the Bantams yielded the

winning run. MADCAPS 7-JAGUARS even though they had a four run lead after their first turn with

Pedruco on the mound for the Kassa Nazarin for five safe hits 12-6 win. Jags walked no less than three Madcappers in the home half of the initial frame, and mixing three hits with the silver-platter offer, the Madcaps soon turned the tables with a five-run splurge in the same stanza.

Neither side could score again | Canadians in the second inning, but in the Madcap half of the third semester, three bunched up hits produced a pair of runs which the Hollandsmen protected right until the end of the scuffle.

Jaguars had scoring chances in the third when Gus Pereira drew a pass and pilfered second and third bases in quick succession but was left stranded. The fifth found Gussie perched on third again via a single and two steals, but once more the power was turned off.

Kelly Silva - Netto on the mound for the winners wavered to chalk up as many runs but At Spokumpoo, Army "A", for a moment in the sixth determined Maple Leaf outfit the Baseballers collecting five helped by six wickets for 20 chapter and found the sacks worked their way back into the in the third and two four-run runs taken by John Deighton, loaded via an outfield error and ballgame, when they equalized innings, in the fourth and beat a weakened Optimists' a pair of walks, but after Steven with four runs manufactured eam by seven wickets.

Kavier of the Jaguers had failed around five walks and a brace started off with a first in the first, and two fours in the fifth The Thunderbolt forward line Road by holding the Scorpions Eriksen flied out to end the to spark the rally. were perhaps the speedier of to a draw, helped by an un- threat, and that was that, for Starting off the seventh with the two sets, and were more defeated 54 from I. M. Omar. getting the other three outs in the score desdlocked at 5-all, the Jordan couldn't get among the next frame was only a met- Overseas led off with Paul Tiu the losers and was benished in poned for long. sweeping movements down the the wickets against the Univer- ter of routine as the trio of dis- who connected for a long fly ball favour of Ray Cordeiro in the sity at Poktulam and the match pirited Jaguars went to bat and to deep left field where Bob Low third-another case of changing

The best catch of the after- trlumph.

In the Junior League, the which was lost in the sun in the Lo fanned the breeze but Woo Bantams were almost within seventh inning proved to be the grounded out for a run. Y. F.

SENIOR "A" DIVISION 5 Overseas 7 Jaguars

SENIOR "B" DIVISION 6 Red Son 16 Baseballera

7 Dragons 13 Dodgers 4 Blue Sox South China 7 Bantams (10 innings)

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The best catch of the afternoon was undoubtedly George
Saunders' snare in the left
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imaginary ladder to freeze Jock
Brown's rising liner which was labelled for distant places, and spiritument spir

Chan drew enother pass and when Louis falled to find the

### SENIOR "B" GAMES

After a dismal showing against hopeless against the Madcans, followed by Harry Louie's wild the Warriors last week, the Red Sox returned to life again yesterday and battered Dodger The Overseas exploded in the hurier Fred Diesta for a total Pitching lack-lustre ball, Vic fifth when they connected hurler of 11 solid blows to chalk up a A six-run splurge in the

second inning practically ensured

victory but another cluster of three in the next frame gave the Sox all they required—the other runs were scored just in case. Hitting was fairly free, with several extra-base clouis. Diesta of the Dodgers and Frankic Barros of the Sox both connected three-base hits, although the latter could have stretched it 17 into a homer if his aging limbs.

would have permitted it. Mike Sanders of the belted out two hits in three times at bat while Bernard Brown and Diesta both registered three in four.

In the night-cap, the Baseballers and Warriors dented the rubber 33 times, with Baseballers accounting for the odd run to upset pennant hopes for the Warriors. Runs were scored in clusters.

seventh, while the Warriors and sixth.

Sonny Machado started for back to the beach again without was blinded by the sun's direct a winning combination with

The Jaguar registered the same with a converse converse of the same was the mid-day scuttle best game of the week-down Jaguar registered the same was a second that the same was the mid-day scuttle best of the look of the same was the mid-day scuttle best of the look of the same was the mid-day scuttle best of the look of the same was the mid-day scuttle best of the look of the same was the mid-day scuttle best of the look of the same was the mid-day scuttle best of the look of the look of the same was the mid-day scuttle best of the look of the look of the look of the same was the mid-day scuttle best of the look of the lo

# PLAYERS UNFIT FOR AUSTRIAN

At least two members of the England team chosen to play Austria on Wednesday will not be able to play. Lionel Smith (Arsenal), who was not fit to play for Arsenal in a League game yesterday, is declared unfit for Wednesday while Preston North End have informed the Football Association that Tom Finney, who was injured in the League match against Chelses yesterday, will not be fit to play on Wednesday.

been selected to take Smith's with Austria has been welplace at left-back but Finney's comed heartly, but many ask deputy at outside-right will not why the idea could not have be chosen until tomorrow.

match, has also cried off and Milburn (Newcastle) has been asked to report to the England headquarters at Hendon in his

Mannion did not play in a League match yesterday, having failed to pass a fitness test at the last moment. An ankle injury had been K-rayed earlier in the week.

nouncing these facts today, said that no definite decision tals' book and appoint a national could be made about the right- coach? half, Nicholson's, fitness and a further report on his groin trouble will be awaited to- George Raynor, the former

Meanwhile, the Tottenham manager has reported that laded out of the game and is Nicholson must be regarded as chiefly occupied behind the very doubtful.

The reinfroduction of Ecker- in Hull,-Reuter. sley should not weaken the England team, for he gave satisfactory displays in four appearances for the national affected by his club's poor show- Switzerland here today.

Milburn's inclusion in place of time. Mannion may mean that the Selectors are considering him for Finney's place. He began his football career on the right pressure during the whole of wing and has played there many the second half of the game but times for Newcastle United, it held out until seven minutes

### OLD ARGUMENTS

The desire to see England defeat Austria on November 28 left in the 15th minute.—Reuhas set the fuse to light up ter. anew the old British socier argument about a national BELGIUM BEATS HOLLAND decline in Britain's representative showing during the later postwar years.

dict that neither England, Scot- by seven goals to six after land, Ireland nor Wales have sharing six goals at half-time. achieved any form that could A crowd of 65,000 saw Belcompare with the national form gium gain a 2-0 lead intide 10 in Britain of the immediate minutes. They last their adpostwar seasons, and the reason vantage only to lead again and is generally attributed not to then have the score equalized in lack of individual playing skill the last minute of the first half. but to a conspicuous absence of -Reuter. a proper blending of talents,

that a scheme for planning an all-Britain team as the chief challenge to foreign competition is long overdue. As proof they quote the success of the combined team which defeated the Rest of Europe in Glasgow in 1948 and in comparison the display by Britain and Ireland when they met at Villa Park, Birmingham, a week or so ago,

Most British football thusiasts loudly proclaim Britain can compare with possibly lead any other country in the world as regards the individual brilliance of its players. But they are equally clamorous in their condemnation of the Selectors regarding the manner of choosing them as a team. The experiment of calling together selected England players to have a few days "schooling"

on either side, but in the tenth frame W. Y. Wong singled and this was followed by W. K. Choy's safety which produced Telenmouth 9; Exeter 8, Old Blues

have tried so hard to gain, but with the improvement shown, this eventuality cannot be post-

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a full side and forfeited the points to the Blackhawks, while the Blue Sox upset the Wildfires

intellige of the game being responsible for the setback. The Delawares powerhoused

Eckersley, of Blackburn, has as the prelude to the match been carried further and a who was chosen as a reserve in- example, not have been flown side-forward for the Austrian over to Paris when the Austrian team played there a short time

> opponents in actual play always did and always will have its lessons for selecting a team and planning a campaign for victory.

Another point that is gaining favour, in view of the undoubted ability of continental sides that have been seen in Britain, is Walter Winterbottom, an- would England not do well to take a leaf out of the continen-

Many ironically point out that Aldershot player, directs coaching in Sweden, while a brilliant player like Raich Carter has counter of a tobacconist's shop

ITALIANS, SWISS DRAW Laigano, Nov. 25. Italy, one of the strongest of team last season and his form the continental soccer teams, does not appear to have been were held to a 1-1 draw by

Switzerland led 1-0 at half-

A rock-like Swiss defence was under almost constant before the end, when the Italian centre-forward. Boniperti, netted to equalise a goal scored by the Swiss outside-

Rotterdam, Nov. 25. Goals were plentiful here today when Belgium best Holland Few disagree with the ver- in an international soccer match

The following are the results of Rugby Union and Rugby League games played to-day;

International Match: Scotland Berkshire 9, Darset and Wilts | Cheshire 3, Yorkshire 6; Cornwall Floucestershire 0; Cumberland she Westmorkshire 8. Lancashire 29; Devon berland 28.

Club matches: Harlequins 20, Mackhestin 8; London Hampital 6, Notts 2; London Irish 0, Guys Hospital 0; London Welsh 0, Newwort 8; Old Merchants Taylors 5, Notthampton 11; Old Paulines 8, Bain 5; Richmond 0, Swanses 8; Rosslyn Park 9, St Thomas's Hospital 3; Warre 2, St Thomas's Hospital 3; the margin of victory.

It was a heart-breaker for the Bantams, not so much for the points, but this would have been their first win of the season, an effort which they

Rugby League Rangers 7. New Zealand Bi

Special mention must be made 0: Bramley 4. Waltefield Trimity 19: of hurler Cooper who seems to have learned that it pays to mix his pitches, while Maw and Lamb have proved to be capable 1. Warrington F. Marrington 1. Marr

Juarez, Mexico, Nov. 45.

Capres Younger Smooker League matches—Eastern H v Lugitario III PACC 1 v Lasitario M PCC v PO Terrier: SCAA v RAF: FOU v Multi-

Army defence was again the spared up to 81. Army team, with Hammond at with his backstick. BIG-HEARTED DEFENCE were the re-

"B" 1, DOGA 0; University 4, flank and had the better of the

sults of Hockey matches played go down by a wider margin was up). Archie Zimmern (stumped University 0; RAF 1, Argonauts due mainly to the big-hearted one, caught one), and Fali performance of their defence. "A" 1; Army "A" 1, Thunderfour goals, and Yakub Khan at rest of the batting order for six 2nd Division.-Argonauts "B" left back was reheatedly in the runs. , Dutch HC 0; Nav Bharat 9, picture with timely tackles and HKAAF 0; YMCA 0, Army "B" clearances. A. Rakha at rightback did more than his share of Ladies' League. - Gremlins checking Mackenzie on the left

dangerous with their lightning

Interport inside-left in a penalty

Evident, however, was their Osaka, Nov. 26. need of a hard-shooting forward.

tactics, putting into use the The "Brown Bomber" seemed the insides should also help in disappointed as his opponents no great measure, Army obtained their winning ong rather then advancing to meet his dynamite punches. Ozic "KO" Hubbard, Far Esst the 25 yard line, Mackensie plon, but up quite a fight although he was downed twice in the second round.—United

THE TEAMS Capt Dariley, Major Deighton, Sgr. Chappell, Major Lambie Major Chaptell, Capt West thacoti, Cpi Markenzie, Cp Taylor Abbas; M. Samy, N. Abrahir A. Ditte T. Bussain.

Fielding their best nine, which plate against the next two

included Lofty Baker's return to batters, two more runs scamperthe diamond, the Canucks held ed over the platter to knot the the Overseas scoreless for four count. Fortunately Frank Poon frames with good fielding which had the good sense to recall Lam nullified the effects of a couple Ping to snuff the rally. of scattered hits, while they registered a tally in the second Playing loose ball right from stanza when P. W. Lo made a the stert, the Jaguars looked tour of the bases on a steal

# GLANCE

JUNIOR LEAGUE Delawares

LADIES LEAGUE Squaws 11 Pool To

# VICTORIANS RUN INTO THE WRONG GARDEN-LITTLE FLOWERS WILL NOT WILT

## Schoolgirls Play With One Eye On "Julius Caesar" By "OBSERVER"

A fighting Recreio Eleven snatched a narrow 2-1 win over the hitherto unbeaten King George V "A" yesterday to take the lead in the Colony Ladies' Hockey League.

The Georgians led by one goal to nil at the interval through a goal scored by their left-wing combination of Sheila Hall and Hilary Hale. Recreio came back with two goals in the second half through the follow-up efforts of their new centreforward, Mercia Silva.

It was a closely contested game with both sets of forwards playing a good attacking game. The school half-line followed up well, but tended to overemphasize this, resulting in their being unable to cover up when the ball is suddenly crossed back into their half.

their first major success, when The halves seemed to be the battle royal of sticks and legs. they held last year's final sts. weak point, all of them appear. In the last fev: minutes the

right-half Mrs Van Houten.

Despite this, however, it was exception of their centre- hard hitting. forward and captain, Margie or unknowns until yesterday.

### INSPIRING LEADER

Margie proved to be the inin attack and defence. Possessing

# HKU and YMCA To Open Shuttle team as a whole, and were served with a strong half-line.

The 1951-1952 Colony Badminton League opens to complete them. this evening with what will probably be one of the season's highlighting games.

This is the clash between the the Colony-the University and defenders into the "D". Men's "A" Division.

will be included, and the match Joan Crighton's powerful drive hers of the University forward will be played on a miniature hit the side-board. Thomas Cup system, the only difference being that each singles match will be of one set of 15 points and each already prepared herself to kick doubles match of one set of 21 a drive by the Victorian insidepoints.

The singles games this even- from her team. ing brings into action six of the. She did not get the ball full Colony's leading shuttlers. The and centre-forward "Y" will have the Colony Brandt followed up by putting Champion Ramon Young, W. F. the ball past her. Ten minutes . Foo and C. K. Lee, while the later, the Little Flowers equal-University will in all likelihood sed through Irene Starkey. A be represented by H. T. Heah, good pass by Margie Rozario

The doubles games should a hard one into the goal. also provide thrills and excitement in plenty, as the under-

gower and Recreio has been Phillips, Joan Crighton. postponed on account of most of the Recreio players being Carvalho; Hilda Soares. away at Defence Force camp.

### FIXTURES

The following are fixtures in the Hongkong Badminton League, which commences today. (First Round)

Monday, Men's "A" Division Nov. 26 - YMCA v University; Recreio v CCC. Dec. 3 - University v Recreio; CCC v YMCA. versity v CCC. .Thursday, Men's "B" Division Nov. 29 - Kowloon Tong v CCC; University v Recreio. Dec. 6-Recreio v Kowloon Tong; admitted CCC v University. sity: CCC v Recreto. Friday, Senior Mixed Doubles

Dec. 7-Recrelo v CCC YMCA-Dec. 14 -- YMCA v Recroio; CCC-Tuesday, Junior Mixed Doubles

Nov. 27—Recreio "Whites" v Recreio "Blues": YMCA v CCC; St. had hardly walked off the field Delgado. V.J. Bennett, A.J. Recreio Lecture Company of the field Delgado. V.J. Bennett, A.J. Recreio Lecture Company of the field Delgado. V.J. Bennett, A.J. Recreio Lecture Company of the field Delgado. V.J. Bennett, A.J. Recreio Lecture Company of the field Delgado. V.J. Bennett, A.J. Recreio Lecture Company of the field Delgado. V.J. Bennett, A.J. Recreio Lecture Company of the field Delgado. V.J. Bennett, A.J. Recreio Lecture Company of the field Delgado. V.J. Bennett, A.J. Recreio Lecture Company of the field Delgado. V.J. Bennett, A.J. Recreio Lecture Company of the field Delgado. V.J. Bennett, A.J. Recreio Lecture Company of the field Delgado. V.J. Bennett, A.J. Recreio Lecture Company of the field Delgado. V.J. Bennett, A.J. Recreio Lecture Company of the field Delgado. V.J. Bennett, A.J. Recreio Lecture Company of the field Delgado. V.J. Bennett, A.J. Recreio Lecture Company of the field Delgado. V.J. Bennett, A.J. Recreio Lecture Company of the field Delgado. V.J. Bennett, A.J. Recreio Lecture Company of the field Delgado. V.J. Bennett, A.J. Recreio Lecture Company of the field Delgado. V.J. Bennett, A.J. Recreio Lecture Company of the field Delgado. V.J. Bennett, A.J. Recreio Lecture Company of the field Delgado. V.J. Bennett, A.J. Recreio Lecture Company of the field Delgado. V.J. Bennett, A.J. Recreio Lecture Company of the field Delgado. V.J. Bennett, A.J. Recreio Delgado. V.J. Bennett, A.J. Recreio Lecture Company of the field Delgado. V.J. Bennett, A.J. Recreio Delgado. V.J. Bennet creio Blues v St. Teress; University Whites: Recreto Blues v YMCA; Uni- by A.L. Nery and Johnny Gon- creation Club Intra-Club Lawn Jan 0 - Recreio Whites v YMCA. University v Recreio Blues; St. Teresa v CCC.

Men's "C" Division Herein Wednesday, Nov. 29 Bection One. - University v KCC; - Kewloom Dock v Tytam 'A"; Nav. White bye Nov. 10 YMCA: St. John's v CCC: Jaguars v

Tytam R : Recreto Blues bye.

At Scokumpeo, the Little and sense of distributional play, centre-forward, Mercia Silva, Flowers Club, the Cande, alla she ranks as one of the best being on hand twice when the of this year's league, met with forwards in the Colony today, ball slipped back out of the

the Victorians, to a 1-1 draw ing to have great difficulty in Schoolgirls kept the game in the The Victorians were not at getting the ball away. Holding Recreio half and not far from full strength, fielding at least their sticks a little lower, getfour reserves in their side, ting further down to the ball Conspicuously missing were and a little more practice in left-back Sylvia Franklin and flicking should help them a I great deal.

a creditable performance by the with Terry Noronha of softball cisca Ferreira, Evelyn Alonco Little Flowers, who with the reputation showing an ability at and Connie Remedios; Stella

Rozarlo, were practically a team Carvalho as a goalkeeper, when Maher. she stood between the Gremlins "A" and a two figure score last week, I expected to see her in

the picture again yesterday. She had, however, very little spiring leader of her team, both to no in the first half, but did make a few good saves in the pretty stickwork, good speed second half to support her reputation as an agile and fearless goalie.

### STRONG HALF LINE

The Victorians fielded a sound team as a whole, and were The forwards had all the requisites of a good attacking side, speed, dash and stickwork. They had all the chances of scoring yesterday, but did not have that "big hit" in the circle,

One main weakness still remained — hanging to the ball their own forwards offside, or defence was already showing two leading badminton clubs in bring an impenetrable bunch of signs of tightening up.

the Chinese YMCA -- in the The Victorians had slightly School "B" team held the Unimore of the play in the first versity to two-all at half time Added interest should be half, particularly towards the and lost 4-3 in the last minute given to this encounter by the end of it, when inside-right of the game. School's centrenew system of play in this Divi- Brenda Smith sent in a weak forward scored one goal and sion. For the first time singles shot to the goalie, and left wing the inside-left two. Four mem-

The Victorians took the lead during the second half. Goalkeeper Nina Carvalho had right from outside the circle despite the shouts of "leave it

K. S. Low and M. T. Yeow. was taken by Irene who clipped

### THE TEAMS Victorians: Audrey Clibborn;

grads have a reputation for Doreen Cook, Iris Armstrong; their fast attacking playing in Jill Peach, Jet Borren, Doreen this department of the game. Handyside; Ruby Scott, Brenda The match between Craigen- Smith, Lilian Brandt, Barbara Little Flower Club:

Noronha; Lydia Osmund, Norma Hill, Nina Gonsalves; Teresa Campos, Irene Starkey, Rozario, Marie Rull, Teresita Botelho.

### PANTING TIME At the end of the first half

in the match between Recreio Filipino Club players first. and School "A" at King's Park, were: the Recreio girls stumbled off the field, one goal down and w. C. Ogly tied with K. Bodie, G. Dec. 10 - Recrete v YMCA; Uni- just about ready to collapse. The School's championship V. A. Neves, W. Palmer, S. M. relay teams had run them off their feet and Recreio later L. G. Young 11-22.

admitted that the left wing M. Ferreira, V.A.V. Ribeiro, F.G. Da Luz, Dr V. Atienza beat R.M.V. combination of Sheila Hall and Ribeiro, J. McDougall, W. Bovairo, Dec. 13 - Kowloon Tong v Univer- Hilary Hale, who got through E. Breenwood 26-25. to score only once, had dazzled Nov. 30 - CCC & YMCA; Recrelo- them into a state of near coma. What happened to the Schoolgirls later is not too easy to J. Pullock 20-17. explain. Half of them were to Nunes, L.S. da Silva lost to J. start sitting for their Cambridge Caldwell, S.A.R. Bux, L. Bones, explain. Half of them were to School Certificate examination L.A. Rozario 19-20.

swotting up "Julius Caesar". Recreio's young team, coached salves, rallied in the second Bowls Singles and Rinks sily; CCC v Recreio Blues; YMCA v half. They are built up on a Championships were played off "no star" system and they were at Sookunpoo yesterday and They had little of the game in

young enough to recover. the first half. In the second they kept stendily pushing the beat U. A. Rumjahn 21-19. game into the opposition's half and good feeding from the halves kept the forwards Arculli, J. Hoosen and A. R.

the D, but the necessary finish had been drained out of them.

### THE TEAMS

Recreto: Dorcen Ozorio; Elvie The two full backs are sound Tsok. Ena Roza-Pereira; Fran-Correa, Lily Danenberg, Mercia Having heard so much of Nina Silva, Rita Marques and Marcia

> KGV8 "A": Sheila Graham-Cumming: Kathleen Davies. Shirley Winterton; Julia Tingay, Shirley Read and Diana Jillott; Margery Revie, Leila Butcher, Valerie Jillott, Hilary Hale and

### OTHER MATCHES

The Dorians (Diocesan Old Gills) held a Gremlin-packed Widgets' team to one goal in the first half at Boundary Street. Conspicuous in Gremlin attack was the wing combination of Eileen Kennedy, Mary Meikle and Marge Vianna who had the Puppies' defence in trouble time and again. Mary Meikle, a newcomer, scored in the front

The Old Girls' new forward too long. By the time the pass line had not too much more life was made, it would either put in it than last week, but the

At the School ground, the line shared the goals.

### HOW THEY STAND

|                | P | W | D | L | F | Λ | Pla |
|----------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|-----|
| Recreto        | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 3 | 5   |
| Gremlins       | 2 | 2 | 0 | G | 6 | 0 | 4   |
| Victorians     | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 9 | 3 | 4   |
| Widgets        | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 4   |
| KGV "A"        | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 3   |
| University     | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 8 | 2   |
| Little Flowers | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1   |
| DOGA           | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 0   |
| KGV "B"        | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 9 | 0   |

# Closing Day

Filipino Club held its Lawn Bowls Green Closing Day yesterday with a match against visiting lawn bowlers from various clubs in the Colony and Terry lost by 21 shots.

> Following the match, Mrs V. M. Atienza, wife of the President of the Filipino Club. presented each visiting player with a silver spoon.

Results, with names

Ladd, F. Francis, A. M. Omer 21-21. Rumjahn, W. J. Howard lost to A. R. Razack, H. Ridedale, R. Basa,

D. Philips. B.W. Armiger, J.T. Cotton, H.Y. Hau beat G. Vollkaert. McKittrick, W. J. Comeron, S.

IRC COMPETITIONS The floals of the Indian Reresulted as follows:

Singles. K. M. Rumiahn

Rinks....A. Bachoo, F.M. el Minu beat A. B. Ritchell, J. S. (2) bas started hitting the ball themselves into the machine." Melees in front of goal earned A. Curreem, A. M. Rumishn them both their goals, their new and R. M. Rumishn 20-10.



# Omnipresent

Sunday before last we had able initiative.

School. at 4 p.m. that Sunday we were at one ground, and the other was as equally certain that we Hollywood. were at the other ground at the same time. Actually, both were not far wrong, but one or was on the sidelines two timepieces must have been a few minutes out.

his ubiquity. However, if it that the good lady provided, the argument could not have tory. arisen as to exactly where we were at 4 p.m. on a Sunday a fortnight ago. Mrs Hale can, with some degree of accuracy, tell how many minutes a game has been on at some other ground and what the score is or should be. She was certain that the game at King George V School was still on and she was right.

people like Mrs Hale that we The Gremlins's new Pygmalion are kept informed of what goes wants his Galateas to be noth-League. First of all our repu- in a goal-scoring machine. tation for omnipresence has been built up on the co-operation of the League's officials.

It owes much too to many voluntary informers who have no official affiliation to League. Our informers and spotters are legion and happen, as often as not, to be quietly present when something interesting happens.

One of our informers, besense of anticipation for where. something is going to happen and he was lying down behind the Gremlins' goalpost in that team's match with the School Juniors.

That was the match in which Mother Read sat on the back wood support of the goal and lit a carefree cigarette. All the Gremlins, the pack of goalhungry she-wolves that are, were hovering around the School Juniors' D while mites, some of them half size of the Gremlins, were valiantly pushing back one assault after another.

This kept going on for such

little schoolgirl flashed out of nowhere, pushing the ball front of her and not a Gremlin short of custodian Read between her and the goal.

Mother Read calmly meshed in the net and there formation. was no pulling it out. If a Gremlin defender hadn't proved

We have touched now on the League's officials and the Widformers. One of our main would have taken it with

when in doubt on some point of the season. we ring up RKO-Radio. They send over batches of publicity material and we use much of have no combination except in it and discard a lot too. Last week, some of this was between their two backs. They picked up by an opposition will never replace Marjorie Mcpaper. It said, in part, "... the Nelli and the Abrahams sisters.

best player was stalwart Smirroff, their skipper, who individually good, but they played a wonderfully clearing game with her hitting ... whilst C. Ellery on scives in with the others. the right wing was very fast, would rather have the two in a and terribly dangerous."

that Irene Smirnost, tince be- helf-back line and the coming skipper of the Widgets, good half-backs are those who has (1), let her hair down and loss their individuality and fit with the precision and driving Operator N thiolice that the power of a champion golfer. Gremling linve a great

The Sunday before last a | We agree also that Coreen young lady who plays hockey Ellery has been improving asked this columnist how it steadily game after game and could be possible that, being has developed into rather a well aware of the fact that the flashy forward with consider-

watched the game she played But we suspect that RKOin at Boundary Street, some Radio's equally omnipresent other young woman was equal- talent scouts are considering ly certain that we had watched these two Widgets as a potenthe one at King George V tial new Bergman and new Pickford respectively and the One was willing to bet that publicity build-up is on. Both, we consider, are more necessary in the Widgets than

Coreen Ellery Yesterday, Shella Bolton and Jeannette Simmons. The three were being rested this week as a car-This columnist takes pride in lead of Gremfins were pushed into the line-up against the wasn't for the omniscience of Diocesan Old Girls and proved Mrs Hale and the transport insufficient to give the Widgets more than a 1-0 margin of vic-

> However, the fact that Ellery, Bolton and Simmons were sitting it out fits in well with our theory that the Gremlins' new coach, G. T. "Pedlar" Palmer, is getting set to de-glamourise he Widgets in the same way that he has de-glamourised the Gremlins.

The Gremlins, who were easy on the eye last season, now It is through the goodwill of have hard, tense expressions in the Ladies' Hockey ing more than well-placed cogs

It would be a sad day if the new Gremlin directorate would try to de-glamourise Ellery, one of the happiest of the Widgets, a Widget through and thin, one of the earliest Widgets and a Widget who has always maintained the Widgets' reputation for glamour.

This reputation the Widgets have plus their polite touch last Christmas when they lieve that or not, is the son of sent Christmas greetings to the hearts. "It is a very well Widget. He has an uncanny readers of these pages, have balanced League this season," endeared them to the whole sporting community

> Several hundred watched the Widgets in action yesterday and the hills encircling the Boundary Street ground were dotted over with spectators. There was, true, a football match going on on the adjoining ground between CAA and Kwong Wah. but the spectators were all over the surrounding hals long fore that started. All could have been doing was watching the Widgets take on the Old Girls.

Having now touched on the a long time, the Widget's son contribution of the League's told us, that Mother Read final- officials, of the son of the Widly leaned her stick against the get and of RKO-Radio Pictures net without a care in the world. to our reputation for omnipresence, this column must finally Suddenly, as it does in a hoc- express its gratitude also to its key match, viot broke loose. A Operators who watch matches.

Yesterday evening we pushed our way into the smokechoked card room of one of the Colony's main sporting centres to speak with one of them. threw Operator N was playing away her cigarette and reached patience. He put a five of clubs for her stick. The stick, so it on a six of diamonds and whishappened, had got itself en- percd a startling piece of in-

To quote him, "The Gremlins faster on her feet than the are not going to win the schoolgirl, Mother Read may League. Not by a long shot. well have had to tear the net They are individually good, but not as a team. Victorians will win the League."

get's son. There are other in anyone but Operator N, we sources of information, curiously grain of saft. Operator N not enough, is the Publicity Depart- only knows all about hockey, ment of RKO-Radio Pictures, but he has watched nearly every one of the Ladies' League You may not believe it, but teams in action since the start-He explained, "The Gremlins

their inside-forward trio and The Abrahams sisters were not were a great team. They were hard not stars, but they fitted themtenin than two half-backs who are individually good. It is Now, we are in agreement thankless job playing in the list phone mambers anyway.

### Britain To Tackle The Hoary Old Problem Of Tennis Amateurism

London, Nov. 25.

OTHER ANGLES

The British Lawn Tennis

Association are also going to

teurism" in the sport. They are

been prohibited from competing

in a lawn tennis tournament in

Another proposition to be

discussed is a ban on amateur

players contributing, under their

own name, to the press, radio

and so on about any tourns-

ment, match or competition in

which they are entered or

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this country under this ruling.

Britain is going to tackle the hoary old problem of true amateurism in lawn tennis.

For a long time now, world lawn tennis circles have been concerned with what has become known as the "eight week's rule"-a regulation which restricts an amateur player to receiving expenses for no more than eight tournaments a year.

Some lawn tennis enthusiasts They were advised that their in Britain have objected to this allotment of tournaments was time limit ban and now a up and ordered home. motion has been tabled for the annual general meeting of the British Lawn Tennis Association on December 6 here in London that this "eight weeks' rule" tackle other angles of "amashall be replaced by one which to to discuss the proposed deletion allows amateur players "receive travelling and reason- of the rule which at present able hotel, boarding house on lays it down that a professional for the second time in successimilar establishment expenses at any other sport cannot take when playing in any tourna- part as an amateur in a lawn by two goals to nil. There was ment sanctioned by the national tennis event. association of the country in which the tournament is held." footballer at least has hitherto

### SEQUEL TO MEETING

This new rule is the sequel to the views expressed at the International Federation meeting in Paris this summer, but Mr S. B. Reay, the Secretary or the British Lawn Tennis Association, explains that, even with the proposed new rule, a player must still abide by the rules of his own national association.

If it happens that a player belongs to a country which still retains the "eight weeks' rule." it does not mean that the player automatically qualifies for exemption when he (or she) plays in a tournament sponsored by a country which has adopted a new ruling on this point.

America showed its views on the question when Miss Dorothy Head. Irvin Dorfman and Fred Kovaleski, who are all "ranked" by their country and played at Wimbledon, were barred recently from accepting any expenses by the American Lawn Tennis Association.

They had been absent from America for 10 months when Mr Russell B. Kingman, the President of the American Lawn Tennis Association, announced that the three players 'had far exceeded the limitations of the 'cight weeks' rule' by having played in Britain, Europe and (16 in all).

against the teamwork of Vic- 1952. torians, Recreio or School. His opinion counts.

Operator N put a two and three of spades on an ace and a queen of spades on a king of Club's Branch Offices at:he said, "and you shouldn't count out the other teams. All they need is coaching.

"The Little Flowers, for example, have lost out in that they no longer have Pat Gradner to coach them. They are a promising team and they have one of the best goal-keepers in the League in Nina Carvalho and one of the best centrehalves in Mrs Hill. It took more than just a goal-keeper to hold the Gremlins down to three goals.

"School "B" are a much better team than results indicate. Their backs are good, their centre-half, the girl with an Italian name, is a great tackler, and their centre-forward, the Chinese girl, some of the best stickwork I have seen. Their wings are fast and all they need is coaching. They don't even know the rules of the

game properly. "The DOGA have all the talent you need in a team. You must have a team to be able to hold down the Gremlins "B" to one goal. "Even the University are

much better than I would have imagined. Their backs well, they have good halves and a very fast right wing. think School "B" should have held them to a draw though."

Operator N had got so enthusiastic about the League's alsorans that he missed a chance of laying the three of diamonds Now, if this was told us by on the two of diamonds;

> One of this column's earliest followers made a bright gestion yesterday. He is now so fond of the Ladies' League wife to one of the teams. He could give the girls' telephone at the Gate. numbers with the team line-

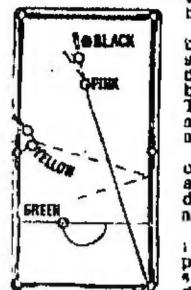
too seemed enthusiastic enough. A Widget wasted no time and gave us her phone However, anyone growing inordinately fond of a Germin, Widget, Victorian, or anyone

else could easily discover her telephone number through either the Telephone Directory or the Dollar Directory. It is no. use trying the Jury List, as most of the girls have contrived to keep out of it and it doesn't

"RECORDER"

# Arthur Peall says:

OLD confidence keynotes my diagram pot pink. Swing low to spin white back for a game-winning shot at



Never play do not suggest a There should be a cavaller touch about it. Similar strokes on outlying reda are often proa game. My curtous pocket cut-back sent yellow

striker on green deatty that it is worth copying. Be sure the angle of entry into we dieave it on the pocket brink

### Hyderabad Police Win Rovers Cup

Bombay, Nov. 25. The Hyderabad police today won the premier Indian soccer tournament for the Rovers Cup sion, defeating the Madras team no score at half-time,-Reuter British professional

### NOTICE

### THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

Draft Programmes and r television reviews, comments Entry Forms for the 12th Race Meeting to be held on Saturday 8th and Saturday 15th December, 1951, (weather permitting) may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Telephone House; the Club House, Happy Valley; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

> Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on Thursday 29th November, 1951.

By Order, H. MISA, Secretary.

### THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB TWELFTH RACE MEETING

Saturday 8th & Saturday 15th December, 1951. (Held under the Rules of the Hong Kong Jockey Club).

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m. and the First Race will be run at 2.00 p.m. each day. There are 8 races on the 1st Day and 8 races on the 2nd Day

Through Tickets (at \$32.00 each) may be obtained at the Compradore Office of the Treasurers, 1st Floor, Telephone House, also tickets for the Cash Sweep on the last race of the Meeting as but that this will not balance | well as the Special Cash Sweep on the "Pearce Memorial Cup"

Through Tickets reserved for this Meeting but not paid for by 10.00 a.m. on Friday, 7th December, will be sold and the reservation cancelled for future meetings. To avoid congestion at the Club's Office at Telephone House,

non-members are requested to purchase their sweep tickets at the 5 D'Aguilar Street Hong Kong

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Members and guests are reminded that they and their ladies MUST wear their badges prominently displayed throughout the Meeting. NO ONE WITHOUT A BADGE WILL BE ADMITTED TO THE

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE. Badges admitting ladies not in possession of Brooches or Season tickets and gentlemen, non-members of the Club, to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$10.00 per day including tax, for ladies or gentlemen are obtainable through the Secretary at Telephone House, on the written or personal introduction of a Member, such member to be responsible for all visitors introduced

by him, and for payment of all chits, etc. Only a limited number of badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will be on sale at the Race Course. The Branch Offices and the Treasurers' Compradore Office will close at 11.00 a.m. on both days. The Secretary's Office will close at 11.45 a.m. each day. The Treasurers' Compradore Office and

the Secretary's Office are situated at 1st Floor, Telephone House. A limited number of tiffins will be obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered in advance from the No. 1. Boy (Tel. 27818).

NO CHILDREN WILL BE ADMITTED TO THE CLUB'S PRE-MISES DURING THE MEETING. PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

The price of admission to the Public Enclosure is \$3.00 each said. "Don't you think you day including tax for all persons including ladies, and is payable BOOKMAKERS, TIC TAC MEN ETC., WILL NOT BE PER-

MITTED TO OPERATE WITHIN THE PRECINCTS OF THE HONG Two Gremlins we mentioned KONG JOCKEY CLUB. MEALS AND REFRESHMENTS WILL BE OBTAINABLE IN

THE RESTAURANT IN THE PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

SERVANTS PASSES

Servants' passes will be issued to private box holders only, who are requested to distribute them with discrimination and to endorse their names on the passes. Holders of such passes are not permitted in the Members' Enclosure except for passing through on their duties and must remain in their employers' stands. Owing to the congestion in the Members' Betting Hall and at Booths adjacent to Boxes in the Coffee Room, Box-holders and Members are requested to ensure that their servants make use only of the Public Betting Hall. Military Police will be posted at various points in the enclosure to ensure that this regulation is

By Order, Secretary. "SHANSI"

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### Humid Weather Harming National Gallery Pictures

London, Nov. 25. A worried man walked round the National Gallery in London and prayed for a break in the "complex depression" which has lain off the British Isles for the past week and brought the wet warm weather.

From time to time he sighed and jotted in his notebook the details of yet another picture impaired by the humid atmosphere.

PAINT BLISTERS

enemies of Old Masters, It

"these old painters used the

toops of wine casks to paint on.

The picture is worth at least

For the man, Mr N. C. Ho- 40 in the gallery has been airward, is "health inspector" at conditioned. the gallery. And his job is to! Mr Howard has 50 pictures watch for deterioration in the awaiting treatment as soon as condition of the nationally they can be dealt with. "I inspect the worst ones owned works of art which are so valuable that no insurance every day," he said, "In some cases I give first company will insure them.

The recent bad weather is aid with wax and tissue paper. 10 cents PER WORD OVER 20 feared to have caused consider- That, at least, prevents the able damage to the pictures. So paint falling to the floor." far only one room out of the

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# Racehorse Stables

London, Nov. 25. horś**e-box**.

Ten days after the vicar toured the stables in surplice and cassock sprinkling holy water and making the sign of the Cross, the stables lads were saying:-

at a shout.

In the "hospital," Mr. A. W. Lucas, the "house surgeon," as he calls himself, uses an amazing collection of equipment. A strand of human hair stretched on a metal frame tests humidity of the air. High bumidkty is one of the biggest

"I used the traditional form of service for blessing a house. 11 took 45 minutes."

### on this technical and delicate ASSOCIATION His prize "patient" at the moment is the famous Bottleelli

The decision to form the Association was taken at a meeting of representatives of the Pekistani and Indonesian com-

He estimates it will take him 18 months to restore the pic-Other pictures "in hospital" conducted the meeting and was at the moment are the Holbein elected President of the Associa-

Dyck "Charles I.," and the Mr T. M. Maimeen Habsjah, Velazquez "Boar Hunt," badly Indonesian Charge d'Affaires in burned by previous restoring Karachi, was elected Vice-President.—Reuter.

# Exorcised

Because "shibstly" happenings were troubling trainer Harry Whiteman's racing stables at Lambourn, Berks, the ex-footballer vicar, 88-year-old Rev. Fernest Rumens, repeated a service in every room and every

"It looks as if our troubles are over. Nothing has happened since the vicar's visit."

For years there had been mysterious footsteps, the clicking of electric switches, and strange noises at night. Mr Whiteman's secretary, John Hoodless, reported, in his moonlit room, a man who vanished

Mr Rumens, who was fullback for Ashford, in the Kent League, in 1937, said: "I was setisfied that evil spirits were troubling the household. It was my duty as a priest to exorcise them.

### NEW CULTURAL

"Adoration of the Magi." Karachi, Nov. 25. Painted in tempera on wood, it is in a bad way. The paint is flaking and cracks disfigure the picture. Dry rot has attacked Mr Lucas said,

Pakistani Constituent Assembly. "Two Ambassadors," the Van tion.

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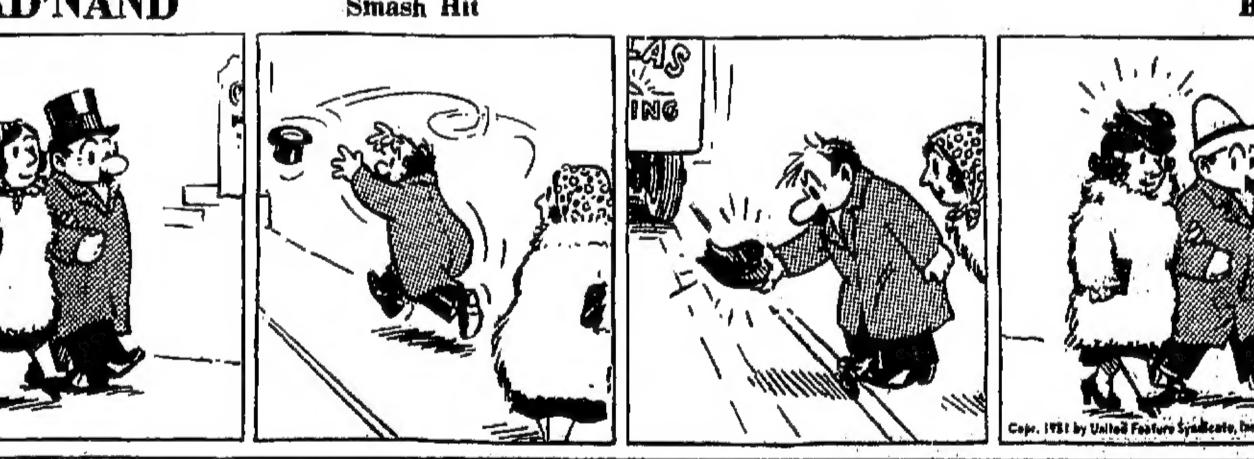
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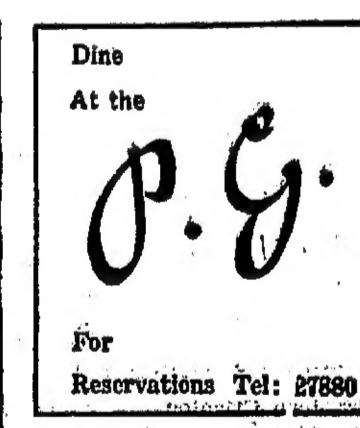
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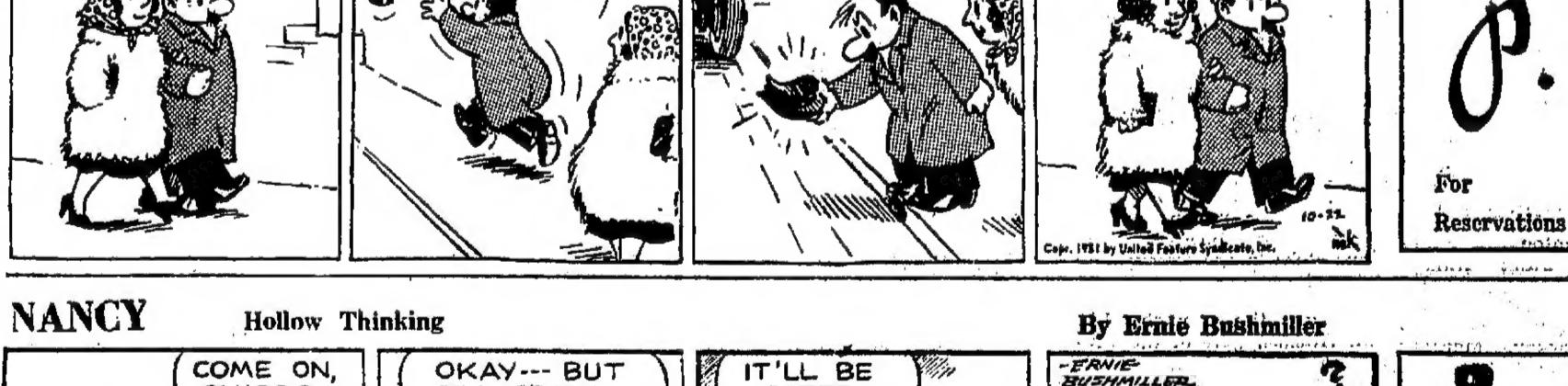
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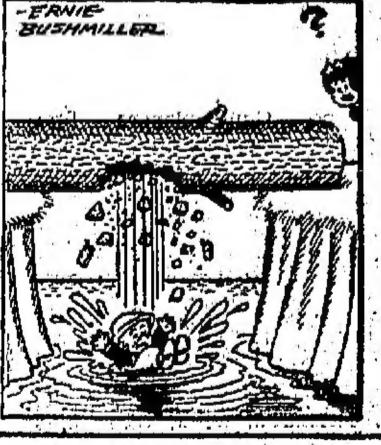


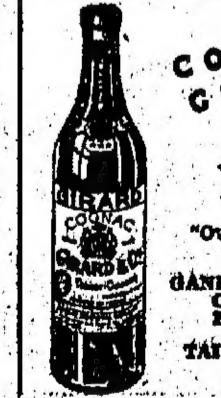






















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### Bassoonist March Court

London, Nov. 25. honoured British Army march to which generations of troops have devised salty words, was played in the magistrate's court here by a bassoon player. musician, Joe de Groen

was giving evidence in a case in which Max Weltman, trum-peter in the Johannesburg City Orchestra, was suing the city council for £21 for alleged wrongful suspension with loss of Mr Weltman had been sus-

pended by the orchestra's disciplinary committee after play-ing several bars of the march during a concert at Parktown Girls' High School. The conductor, Mr Gideon Fagan, alleged that certain well-

known bars were "not decent" if played "in a certain way." Indecent words are associated those burs, he said-

"especially in the Army.

And the bastoon player rendered the "doubtful bars" in court by way of demonstration.

Solicitors for both parties told the magistrate that the gifls at the school did not blush, and showed no special reaction when Mr Weltman played the phrase. The case was adjourned

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### Expects America Prosperity In Year Election

Washington, Nov. 25. Economic experts predict that 1952 will bring election year prosperity to the United States with a resulting golden flow of dollars overseas to pay for bigger than normal imports.

The prosperity is foreseen because it exists now and because the Government is expected to encourage it, so voters will be happy when they cast their ballots for the President of the United United States ocean-going ship policy in our economic affairs. States and a new Congress next November.

the political party in power \$33,790,000,000 in 1948 when published with their welfare. There is an Mr Truman was elected Prest- Japanese publication, axiom in United States politics | dent that the incumbent party rarely loses an election in good times meaning when business is booming and jobs are plentiful with good pay

There is a prospect of a \$90,000,000,000 national income

# Bolivian Tin Prospects

Washington, Nov. 25. Tin experts believe that it is possible for Bolivia to market most of its low-grade tin production in Europe, but that financial and technical obstacles appear to be unsurmountable at

the present time. Meanwhile, Bolivian and U.S. officials said no such sales have been made and no deals are ting reduction in variety of in-

under way. Informed officials here were inclined to doubt that the French Government is interestin buying appreciable amounts of Bolivian ores that were formerly marketed in the

United States. Reports from La Paz said the French Ambassador has opened discussions on a possible tin purchase deal. It was pointed that France like Italy, Brazil, Argentina countries has several small installations capable of smelting The total personal income tin ores. The French production of the refined product, however, has never exceeded 100 tons per year, according to these compared to \$331,500,000,000 a

gources. The tin experts said there are four smelters in the world aside | personal savings were \$22,200,from the United States' Texas | 000,000 in September, in con-City plant. Two of them-the trast to only \$4,600,000,000 Capper Pass smelter in England year before. and one in Germany, specialise

in low-grade concentrates. in England now processes high- lieve that there will be at least grade production of Bolivia, al- a similar situation prevailing a

though it is technically capable year hence, particularly if the of handling lower grade ores. er has long continued its opera- thus stimulates business even tion in medium-grade concent-

rates, according to these experts. The experts said the Capper Pass and German smelter might the same political party as Mr together absorb half the Boli- Truman, there seems a reasonvian low-grade production. But, able likelihood that it will have they said, it is doubtful that the substantial funds for the next market for secondary tin pro- fiscal year despite the rising ducts, which they specialise in, clamour against higher taxes could support such an expansion and Government spending. of output,-United Press.

### Constellations India For

Bombay, Nov. 25. Air. India International, the largest Indian airlines, is negotiating with Lockhood Aircraft Corporation, of California, for the purchase of two super-Constellations estimated to cost

The pirlines propose to use the planes for trans-Asian flighten it is understood the planes mre expected to reach purchase and delivery are found to be satisfactory. — United

Happy voters usually credit this fiscal year There was only United Press on an article

try almost always stimulates imports, creating new business fir many producers and exporters in other countries.

Imports in the first eight months this year amounted to about \$7,680,000,000, compared with only \$5,376,000,000 in the period of 1950 and \$4,640,000,000 In the eight months of 1948, the last election year.

With prospects of an even more active economy in 1952. there is a normal expectation

DEFENCE SPENDING The increased budget year and the prospect of an even bigger one next year chiefly for the defence programme of this country and its allies in President Truman's "crusade for peace" but it has the indirect result of stimula-

Jobs in the United States are currently running close to an all-time peak. In September, 61,580,000 persons were employed out of a total population of 155,000,000. This meant that nearly every able-bodied man or woman who wanted a job

The Commerce Department reported that payrolls in the first nine months of this year were at almost \$140,000,000,000. the United States through September was \$253,350,000,000,

The Department reported that

With jobs available in the The William Harvey smelter current season, economists be-Government carries out its The Arnhem (Holland) smelt- plans for a larger budget and

> With Congress controlled by United Press.

Karachi, Nov. 25. Pakistan hides and skins exports totalled \$4,900,000 rupeet during the year ending June, 1951, official sources mandunced.

Of the total exported, the United States, Germany, Japan and other hard currency areas accounted for 20,100,000 rupees. U.S. purchases reached 10,600,-

The United Kingdom lea soft currettoy aren butters with a: followed by Italy, Turkey and Bweden .- As ociated Press.

# ATTEMPTING IMPOSSIBLE

Economists' Analysis Of Sterling Crisis

### Imperative Need To Avert Further Devaluation

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT)

London, Nov. 25. Several eminent economists have this week contributed to the public

debate on the future of Sterling in the modern world. Cause of the crisis no longer seems in doubt. In Professor Lionel Robbins' words: "We had been driving our car through

the difficult post-war country with the stearing gear out of action, the wheels lashed rigidly in one direction, our only means of equilibration an occasional stop every lew months for the wheels to be unlashed and turned at another angle-while Ministers stood on the roof and delivered salutary exhortations."

### Freight Dumping Menace

Washington, Nov. 25. A United States ship- tact they are closely joined. ping authority predicted today that Japanese merchant shippers will engage Budget and direct control of competitive position.

Concern over future competition by Japanese shipping was expressed by Mr Alvin Shapiro, director of research of to be "behind the gun." the National Federation of American Shipping, an organi-

Mr Shapiro commented to the Oriental Economist," by Ichiro Matsumoto, managing-director A "good time" in this count of the Shin Nippon Steam- are taken into account, two years thip Company, Limited. In rather than one probably rethe erticle Mr Matsumoto presents the real cycle of its aid: "As long all Japanese operation." hipowners adhere to a fair policy by doing their business in accordance with equitable cost considerations based on

against freight dumping." commented: "Doing business in monetary power. accordance with equitable con-

cost provider of shipping services because of her national cultural standard. At the present time the free market is such that cargo offerings are extremely heavy. It would be both uneconomical and unwise to practise rate cutting, etc. However, it seems extremely over-optimistic to assume that with its low cost of operation. verbal assurances will prevent Jepan from exploiting her low cost position when lesser cargo volumes are available and competition for traffic becomes

infinitely greater than at present." MOST UNUSUAL

Japan possessed 3,800,000 tons ments while these are still of ocean going vessels heavier small." than 4.000 gross tons.

is a most unusual one. "We pand; when in deficit, contract." generally recognise ocean-going vessels as being those of 5,000

gross tons and over." in 1939-36 the Japanese mergross tons of which 1,700,000 gross tons were engaged in true tain the external balance at fixed trans-occarde trade, the balance trading in nearby

coastal areas, he said. Mr Shapiro said: "Our organisation has never advocated barring Japan from ocean trading. We have objected to direct American aid for rehabilitation of the Japanese merchant fleet beyond that which was required tor her normal trading purposes.

"The danger lies not so much in her present situation but if the present rate of progress in development of the Japanese merchant fleet continues her merchant marine will be proportionate to the trade that it is called upon carry."-United Press.

# German

Bremen, Nov. 25. The 11.400-ton unnker Roland, Germany's biggest merchant ship, left here today for the Persian Gulf on her melden voyage.

and now how a length of 170 motres and a breadth of 21 The ship has a speed of

In other words, we have been going too far, too fast and without economic safeguards. We have been attempting the impossible.

change control has to be main-

tained, the first step might be to follow the Canadian example

and to allow the rate of ex-

change for permitted transac-

tions to be fixed by commercial

INTERIM PERIOD

France and Italy might be tried

under which certain transactions

are carried through at the offi-

cial rates and others are settled

freely in the 'parallel' market."

difficulties involved in any of

these systems but maintained

that if convertibility was ever

to be attained an interim period

of flexibility in some form would

If the International Monetary

Sir Frederick recognised the

"Or the system adopted by

By abandoning the link be- may call for more speedy action. tween the domestic and ex- One method of bridging the ternal economic policies we have difficult gap between fixed parlbeen plunging headlong for ies and full convertibility disaster. Post-war policy has would be to institute a system tended to treat internal stability of flexible exchange rates for external solvency as current transactions. The course is favoured by Sir separate objectives whereas in

Frederick Leith-Ross, who has suggested various ways in which Control over the internal it might be achieved. economy has in the past been exercised mainly through the "by allowing transfers freely at the official rate. But, after the in "freight dumping" to investment, with the result that experience of 1947, it is probably increase their international economic policy has been based desirable to adopt a more flexion predictions which later facts ble system. If, in order to prehave seldom borne out. went the flight of British

As Professor Robbins said this capital, the machinery of exweek, direct control has tended

"The Times" supported Professor Robbins' contention that ation representing most of the we must adopt a more flexible The budgetary policy alone worked slowly and at rare in-

"When all stages of the framing and consideration of the Estimates and the lag between tax legislation and tax receipts

### DANGEROUS SPIRAL

Internal inflation, barely con- almost certainly be necessary. tained by direct controls, has national cultural standards, now broken loose and we have .Fund were to insist on rigid there is no fear of any criticism begun to witness an upward parities the date on which curispiral of wages and prices that rencies could be made freely On this point, Mr Shapiro threatens our position as a great convertible would be indefinite-

In these circumstances it is But, though the need to work siderations based on Japanese hardly surprising that the out- towards full convertibility is national cultural standards side world should fear another generally recognised, not everyieaves little doubt that in the devaluation of the Pound. Con- body is agreed that it should that imports will at least hold long run such practices as fidence in the Pound reached its be preceded by flexibility in their own and are more likely freight dumping are imminent." lowest ebb just before the exchange rates. He added: "Transitionally general election and resulted in The "Financial Times," for Japan is one of, if not the lowest, an alarming drain on our ex- instance, has pointed out that ternal reserves. There are now flexible exchange rates are inindications that confidence is appropriate to an economy like beginning to return but there is that of the United Kingdom. still a lingering feeling that desposed by Mr Butler nothing short i vested interest in the stability

the payments crisis. The first aim of policy must vantages which might therefore be to restore and even from limited freedom." maintain confidence in the said. Pound at its present exchange portance not only to the United Kingdom but to the whole

Sterling Area. Various means of achieving this aim have been suggested. Mr Shapiro also objected to Professor Robbins has stressed the standards of comparison of the need for "a mechanism the size of the Japanese mer- sensitive to change from day to chant fleet used by Mr Mat- day and therefore producing sumoto, who said that in 1939 adjustments to adverse move-

Such mechanism must have He said the delimitation of full regard to the external size at 4,000 gross tons and over balance. "When in surplus, ex-

### MUST BE THE RULE

There were many conceivable rates of exchange.

We must adopt that rule ourselves if the Pound was not to drop still further, he added. But, although the immediate aim of policy must be to reestablish confidence in Sterling, lication. our long-term aim must be to restore the Pound to full convertibility. This was the theme demand for, and the high prices of a lecture by Sir Cecil Kisch of, Philippine exports led to an

London this last week. Convertibility, he said. dependent on the establishment of import balance of 1,971,900,of restoration of the Bank of 1,970,900,1000, pesos at the end of June, England's "discipline" volume of credit, - Once this was achieved the toad to convertibility would be clear. The problem of convertibility,

Tanker's however, is aggravated by the months of 1950.—United Press. tresh debelances. With each cline an the spending power of the Pound these balances deteriorate in value.

### WOULD BE DISASTER

some members of the Sterling That was 21 per cent more than The vessel, built in Hamburg Area are dissatisfied with this in June. in 1936, was badly damaged in state of affairs, and even now July imports from the United the Mediterrenean during the it may prove difficult to prevent States totalled 281,000,000 Peros, some breakaways. For this rea- or 22 per cent of the total. Other was made 11 melres son, if for no other, further de- main suppliers included: France,

only long-term polloy for Ster 24 ton 100: Germany, 60,000,000, 13 ling is full convertibility, the shit Italy, 40,000,000.—Assoconceion of the Steeling Area clated Press.

# Drops In Malaya

The price of free rice dropped from \$\$45 a picul to \$\$41.50 within two months after the price of Government-rationed rice was boosted and free rice imports from Thailand banned.

Associated Press.

# Free Rice Price

of rice dealers to sell and Federation of Malaya

### HONGKONG SHARE

MARKET

"It may be done," he said, Business done on the Stock Exchange this morning was valued at \$309,895. Noon quotations and the morning's trans-

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of further devaluation will solve of its exchange rates which Stam tiesls (per 100) ....... outweighs any theoretical ad-FIC plastres (per 100)

Despite these differences This is of prime im- methods of approach to the external problem there is full agreement on the need to begin with effective disinflationary policies at home. The alternative might well be a further devaluation and that must be everted at all costs.

# Philippines'

Washington, Nov. 25. The Commerce Department reported today that Philippine exports increased sharply for a variants, he said, but that must favourable trade balance during chant fleet totalled 3,800,000 be the chief rule of monetary the first half of 1951 but warned systems which attempt to main- that this may be reversed by the end of the year if the control of imports and the reduced prices for exports continue.

The analysis of the Philippine trade position was published in the "Foreign Commerce Weekly," an official Department pub-

The report said, "during the first half of 1951 the increased to a Commonwealth gathering in excess of export trade over the value of imports amounting to was 77,300,000 pesos, in contrast to

trade increase of 70 per cent by and 33 per cent by volume from the first six

Buenos Aires, Nov. 25. Argentina's July imports totalled a record 1,060,000,000 There are already signs that Pesos, the Government reported.

longer than the was originally valuation would prove disas- 98 million Pesos; Japan, 75,000, 000; Brazil, 70,000,000; Unite: While it is clear that the Kingdom, 40,000,000; Swedon,

Singapore, Nov. 25.

Surplus stocks, anxiety purchases by dealers were given as Rationed rice. which is not considered as desirable as free rice, sells for about \$\$32 a picul.-

(From Our Correspondent)

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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1951.

### Negotiators Pour Over Maps At Panmunjom

Tokyo, Nov. 26. Allied and Communist map officers opened their fourth meeting at Panmunjom tent at 10 o'clock this morning in another attempt to straighten out differences of opinion on the location of the battle line as a basis for a truce line:

Panmunjour overnight had third balloon incident since it became the conference site a month ago as two of the balloons marking the neutral zone for planes snapped off their cubles and dufted away in a blizzard

While officers studied maps in the light of the latest information from their frontline comman t posts to clarify the possession of 11 points still under dispute, inlantry of both sides were still locked in altacks and counter-attacks to improve positions

As soon as the officers agree and the full cease-fire delegates agreement, the audify then cease-fire line will be frozen along the agreed line of contact if a full armistice follows within 30 days regardless of changes in the actual battle position in the a cantime.

### SHARP ATTACKS

At three points along the winter-gripped battle Communists attacked sharply vesterday with forces up to a company strong.

They seized two advanced Allied positions, one southeast and the other southwest of the shell-blasted Communist central front bastion of Kumsong,

forces were throwing up strong defences on "High Hell", which they regained without a fight yesterday. The Communists abandoned the hill after taking. losing and retaking it in two days of embittered fighting.

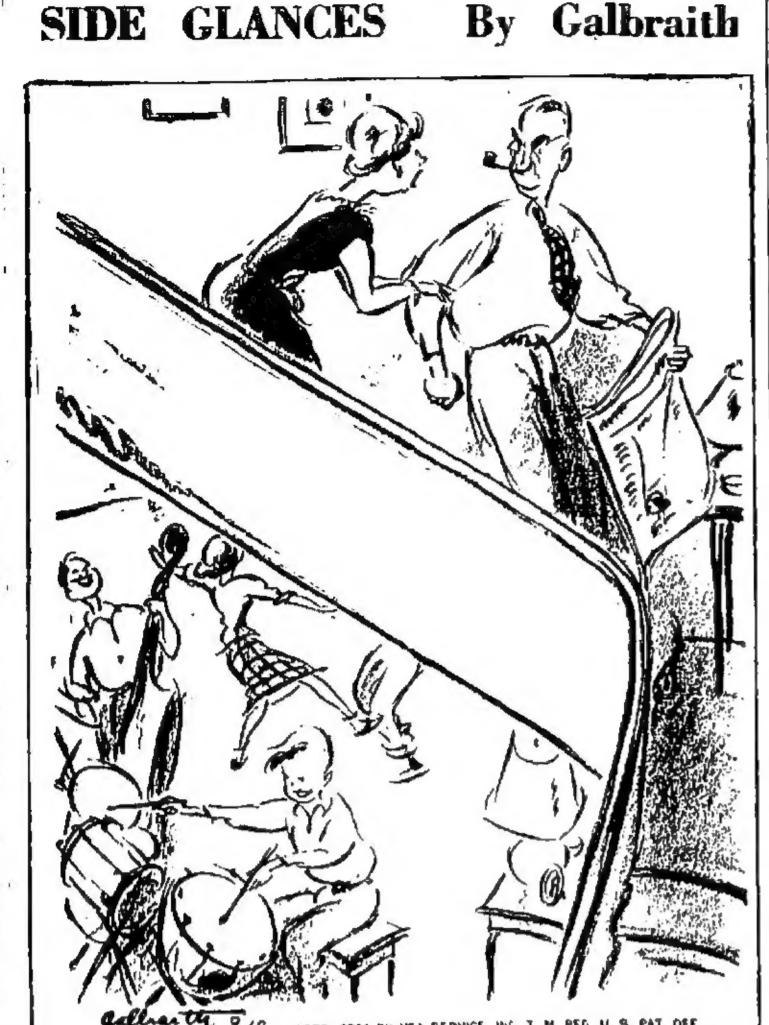
Today the only fight raging for this hill was a "battle of phrases" by the press associa-

battle target. One called it pistols on September 30. "Armistice Hill", another "High Hell." A third news service in-charge of CID, Central, is ty pins were pulled. He immespoke of "Little Gibraltar" and a fourth named it "Dagmar Accused is not legally repre-

tions appeared willing to re- the hearing. treat from its well prepared position on hlll-naming.--Reuter

Court this morning.

See the Orient, the easiest way-, >



"Don't complain! Think how bored you'll be when they're drafted or married!"

### Court Sequel To Bank Robbery

The hearing of the case against To Lam-sin, alias Lam Chai, alias To Hsat, alias To Tsan-lam, 25, of 80, Queen's Road East, third floor, who was charged with possession of four Mills hand West of Yonchon, Allied grenades (the charge being made under the Emergency Principal Regulations) opened at Central this morning before Mr Horace Lo.

> connected with an armed rob- of the premises. bery at the Sin Hua Bank Queen's Road Central where \$307,700 was stolen on Septem- attached to Police Headquarters,

Each association clung to its unlawful possession of six with some other firearms. own catchword for the famous revolvers and three automatic examined the grenades and Det. Insp. F. Roberts, Officer-

conducting the prosecution. sented. Mr R. H. Woodhead, At latest reports from this Assistant Director of Criminal front, none of the press associa- Investigation was present during

The case is for committal. was Lau Shing, Police photo-For failing to renew his sam- quarters. Lau said he was in- Marine Police for them to be licence. Chan Shu, 37, structed to take photographs of dumped into the open sea. The marine hawker, was fined \$20 the third floor of No. 80, instruction was carried out by Mr T. B. Low at the Marine Queen's Road East. He also October 2, and he obtained

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DOJAS COMMUTER' SERVICE

to Taipeh & Tokyo

To was alleged to have been was situated in the sitting room

F. A. Ewins, ballistic expert said he received four Mills hand grenades from Det. Insp. He was also charged with F. Roberts on October 1 together found they were fully loaded and could be used if the safei-diately arranged to have photograph taken of the arms and grenades.

Since he did not know the history of the grenades. he considered it to be dangerous First witness for the Crown and unsafe to keep them and immediately handed them over grapher attached to Head- to Sub-Insp. Blackhurst of the took pictures of a cabinet which receipt from Insp. Blackhurst for the grenades.

Sub-Insp. T. Blackhurst gave evidence to the effect that he received the grenades from Mr Ewins and he carried out the for the most effective coverage! instruction and dumped them into the sea within the Colony's

An amah, Lam Lai-yuk, employed by the accused, gave evidence and said she had been working for the accused and his family since they were Canton. She accused's family came to Hongkong in November 1950 and stayed in 454, Jaffe Road, second

In April this year, her master moved to the top floor of 80. Queen's Road East where he

the sitting room had five following day, September 2, the drawers and she only opened the three drawers on top during her daily work, but never touch- Tsun Wan Police Station about ed or opened the two in the 10.15 a.m. About 2 p.m. the TOO- MANY bottom of the cabinet. The case in proceeding.

### Earthquakes Formosa

Taipei, Nov. 25. Two severe earthquakes rocked Formosa carly Sunday, killing at least 12 persons and injuring 188, the official Central News Agency reported.

The qualtos hit hardest on the East coast between the towns of Hualien and Taltung, The news agency said all of the casualties occurred in this 75mile-long area. It said at least 160 houses were destroyed and more than 400 damaged .... Associated Press.

### FARMERS TRIAL FOR ALLEGED MURDER

Five vegetable farmers of the Tsun Wan district were arraigned before the Senior Puisne Judge, Mr Justice Gould, at the Criminal Sessions this morning for the alleged murder of another farmer, Li Fuk-hing on or about September 1 last.

Those arraigned were Lo Chung, alias Lo Luk, 24, Lo Fat, alias Lo Kwong, 25, Lai Ming, alias Lai Man, 25 Lai Wai, 22, and Lo Man-tai, 23.

Before the trial opened, however, Lo Chung and Lai Wai were discharged when the Crown entered a nolle prosequi in their favour.

The body, said Mr Blair-

Kerr, was very badly battered

and had a length of rope around

was partly lined with wood on

made a preliminary examination

about 6.30 p.m. and came to the

unclusion that death had

occurred some 30-35 hours pre-

yously, which would place the

time as between 7 a.m. and 12

noon on September 1. The

cause of death was shock and

haemorrhage from head injuries.

Deceased had a serious fracture

of the skull which the doctor

said had been inflicted before

geath. The body also bore

wounds in the stomach which

the doctor stated had been

caused after death, and it was

one of the rakes exactly fitted

those wounds. Deceased also had

a lacerated wound on the hand

which, in the doctor's opinion,

and could have been inflicted

POLICE DISCOVERIES

Police investigations con-

tinued and a length of rope was

found attached to accused's hut

and a pole. In shape, texture,

number of strands and direction

of twist, the doctor was of the

opinion that it was similar to

and discovered to bear blood-

Evidence would be given by

(Lai Ming) was seen in com-

a.m. on September 2 going in

the direction of the main road.

while third accused (Lo Man-

tai) was also seen with another

banana trees. None of the

three accused were seen in

their hut on September 1, said

After the accused's arrest,

The three accused were ar-

group. He also had a lacerated

wound on the right back of his

head which, the doctor said,

could have been caused by a

blunt instrument. Third accused

had told a relative that he had

suffered that wound in a fight,

and had told another man that

All the accused had lived to-

gether at the hut by Gindrink-

ers' Bay between May and

September, said Crown Counsel,

The Crown's case was that the

tools belonging to the dead man

and his friend were found in

the accused's farm, the de-

ceased's body was also found

there and the time of his death

coincided with the time when

he set out from his own hut for

coolie vessel, 2873V, Leung

Court this morning.

The trial is proceeding.

the accused's farm,

man sitting down near

Crown Counsel.

three sides. The

Mr Percy Chen, instructed by and uncovered the body of the Meeses C. A. Sutherton Russ and Stewart, appeared for first accused, and Mr V. L. J. D'Alton. instructed by Messrs Deacons, appeared for fourth accused.

it. The grave in which it lay Mr W. A. Blair-Kerr, Crown Counsel, who is conducting the Prosecution assisted by Mr M. Surgeon, who was called, Morley-John, Crown Counsel, informed the Court that the Crown had further considered the case and the Attorney-General had seen fit to enter a nolle prosegul in the case of the first and fourth accused.

On the application of senior Defence Counsel for the other three accused, who asked for a short adjournment to consult the accused in view of the nolle prosequi entered, the Court adjourned for a few minutes

When Court was resumed, Mr fustice Gould informed first and later found that the prongs of tourth accused of the Crown's action and discharged them. Mr S. V. Gittins, instructed by Messrs Brutton and Co., is

appearing for Lo Fat, Mr V. L. J. had been caused before death D'Alton, instructed by Messrs Deacons, is appearing for Lat with a knife. Ming, and Mr D. A. L. Wright, instructed by Messrs Johnson. Stokes and Master, is appearing for Lo Man-tai.

A Jury comprising five men and two women was empanelled PROSECUTION STORY

Opening for the Prosecution, Mr Blair-Kerr gave a detailed

the rope around the deceased's description of the area in which the alleged crime was committed -agricultural farm land by the stains. edge of Gindrinkers' Bay in Tsun Wan. The accused lived in a hut there, while the de- neighbours that second accused ceased and a friend of his, Li Foo-sing, lived in a tin shed in pany with another man about 8 Kwai Chung Village over the hills from Gindrinkers' Bay.

Among the exhibits produced by Crown Counsel was one of banana trees, of which Mr Blair-Kerr said the Jury would be hearing quite a lot in the course of the trial. On August 31, deceased and

his friend worked in the Gindrinkers' Bay area until 7 p.m. second accused (Lo Fat) took when they returned home and the Police to his farm and relired for the night. They pointed to a bottle which, on awoke the next morning at subsequent examination, was dawn and were about to start found to have blood-stains on work when they noticed that its outside. tools which they had placed against the side of their shed rested in Kowloon on the night the night before were missing. of September 2-3, and third Those tools consisted of a accused had with him a packet vegetable basket, a bill hook, a containing clothing which bore hoe, three rakes and two blood-stains of his own blood wooden buckets. They looked farm found a certain number of pak choi seedlings were also missing from one of their plots. apparently stolen during the night. The two men discussed the matter, and deceased, without waiting to have his morning meal, set out over the hills in he came by if through falling the direction of Gindrinkers down. Bay to the accused's hut, a walk which took about half-anhour, and his friend, Li Foo-

sing, never saw him alive again. SEARCH PARTY

As deceased did not return by afternoon. Li Foo-sing organised became principal tenant of the a search party but failed to find him. A second search was made about 8 p.m. but again Witness said the cabinet in without success. At dawn the search party was again formed and a report was also made to Police joined in the scarch and the searchers eventually made their way to the accused's farm. PASSENGERS They came to the banana trees and saw certain tools lying nearby and these were identi- carrying 27 passengers in excess fied by La Foo-sing as belong- of the 32 he was permitted in his ing to him and the deceased. Two of the raices were without Kam-shiu, was fined \$100 plus \$2 handles. A quantity of pak choi for each excessive passenger by was also discovered and the Mr T. B. Low at the Marine soil around was loose.

The party carried on its Defendant, who had a previous search and eventually came to conviction for a similar offence. glso loose and the searchers morning. they came across a human hand, persons subore, in his, dirighy \$150 or one month. Police came on the scene, The two. He was taken into custody and had appeared in the Court Police continued the digging hear Lyamun Para yesterday. I three times this year.

### Living Language

Why we say Boudoir.

This French word has been taken just as it is into the English language so that its origin is not generally known. But a Frenchman will almost alway remember that in his language "bouder" means to pout or sulk, and a "houdoir" is a room into which a lady can retire to sulk in privacy.

Latest times of posting at G.P.O. and at Kowloon Post Office; registered articles and malls close one hour earlier than the ordinary mail times shown below; Christmas Letter Mails supplementary Christmas Parcel Mails for Australia & New Zealand,-The latest time of posting

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Hong/Tak Shing TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 27 By Air Japan, 11 a.m., Vis Indo-China, France, French North & West Africa, 10 a.m., Air France. Burma, India, Pakistan. Middle East. Africa, Great Britain. Europe, 11.30 a.m., B.O.A.C. Philippines, N. Borneo, & p.m.

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body. A rake was also found Rabaul, 2 p.m., 59 ATOS. WEDNELDAY, NOVEMBER 28 By Air Guam. U.S.A., Canada, B s.m., via P.A.L. Malaya, Indonesia, Australia, New Zealand, 9 a.m., C.P.A. Formosa, 10 a.m., C.A.T. Siam, 11 a.m., P.O.A.S. U.S.A., Canada, 2 p.m., P.A.A.

Japan, Korea, 5 p.m., B.O.A.C. Formosa, 5 p.m., H.K. Airways By Surface Macao, 8 a.m.: 6 p.m., ss Les Hong/Tak Shing. China, People's Republic, a.m., train via Conton -Formosa, 9 a.m., ss Wing Sang. Indo-China, 9 a.m., sa

Australia, New Zealand, 5 p.m., THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 29 By Air Siam, Burma, India, Pakistan, Middle East, Africa, Great Britain. Europe, 8 a.m., via B.O.A.C. Indo-China, 5 p.m., Air France. Siam, Malaya, Indonesia, 5 p.m., Japan, Canada, U.S.A., 5 p.m.,

By Surface Macso, 8 a.m.; 6 p.m., 68 a.m., train via Canton.

### Bombay Police Fire On Crowd

Bombay, Nov. 25. people, including six policemen, were wounded here today when a 3,000-strong Socialist-led procession

Bombay Police fired rounds at a "riotous crowd" in the city's mill area, resulting in one person being wounded by a

The Police, who later guarded the procession, have arrested | Chicago Convention. In the sale 32 people.—Reuter.

### Opium Offender's \$1,200 Fine

A fine of \$1,200 was imposed on Lui Shult, 53, by Mr R.W.S. Winter at Kowloon this morning for possessing six tacks of opium and one opium pipo at n hut at Pak Tin Village. Lai had one previous conviction in June when he was fined \$1,500 for similar offences.

Having seven previous cona plot where it appeared plants was intercepted when he was victions for illegally selling food had been before but had been taking workmen off a freighter for human consumption, Woo removed. The soil here was at buoy A10 carly yesterday Kin, 24, appeared before Mr R. W. S. Winter at Kowloon this commenced digging. After A fine of \$30 was imposed on morning for the eighth time on going down about four feet, Wong Choi-yee for taking eight a similar charge and was fined They stopped digging until the which was licensed to carry only He was first convicted in 1948

Airline's Appeal

### Three New **Affidavits** Presented Court

Three additional affidavits, two of them with regard to registration of the aircraft and the third dealing with Chinese law, were received by Mr Justice Gould and Mr Justice Scholes in the Full Court of Appeal this morn- required fine of \$5 each. ing in the airlines case.

The appeal brought by tho Civil Air Transport Incorporated against the judgment of the Chief Justice, Sir Gerard Howe, which dismissed their claim to possession of 44 aircraft held by the Central Air Transport Corporation and grounded at Kai Tak eirfield, was adjourned on August 23 when judgment

was reserved. Mr Justice Gould then stated that in view of the difficult case the Court might want to hear Counsel further.

It is recalled that the case for the CAT Incorporated argued by Sir Walter Monckton, KC. MP, eminent leader of the English Bar, on March 28 and 29. Sir Walter came specially from England to assist in the

Appearing for the appellants this morning, as in the previous hearing, were the Hon Leo d'Almada, KC, Mr John McNeill, KC, and Mr D. A. L. Wright, all instructed by Mr P. J. Griffiths, of Wilkinson and Grist. REGISTRATION

Mr Saul G. Marias, American attorney, of 193 Mount Kellet Road, The Peak, in evidence, said that he was familiar with the registration of aircraft in the various countries in general The Chicago Convention of 1944 was ratified by the United States, the then Nationalist Government of China and by the United Kingdom Government.

Witness said that he was familiar with the aircraft subject matter of this action. The aircraft were registered in the United States on December 19, 1949, in the name of the Civil Air Transport Incorporated. He had photostats of the American registration certificates of the

forty planes. Witness also described the method adopted for registra-

Mr A. J. R. Moss, Director of Civil Aviation, testified to letter sent to him dated February 28, 1950, regarding deregistration of the aircraft belonging to CATC.

With regard to Chinese law, Mr McNeill handed in an affidavit from two experts. K. Twanmoh and Kenneth K.H. Fu. CANCELLED

Mr McNeill said that the effect of this evidence with regard to registration was that on November 13, 1949, at the time when the contract of sale was made, the registration by the de jure Nationalist Government of China was suspended and was then cancelled immediately after the contract, and on December 12, 1949, the aircraft were duly registered as aircraft of the nationality of the United

States of America. On February 1, 1950, dual registration came in with registration by the Central People's Government.

Mr McNelll said that the difference between planes and ships was that a ship had a port of registry but that was not so with a plane. In the latter case it was regis-

tration by a State and that clearly appeared in the 1944 of a ship there was a special form of assignment but that was not so in the sale of an aircraft. Mr Justice Gould said that the Court desired to express its oppreciation to the solicitors and counsel in this case for making available the additional affidavits. Judgment was reserved

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### LETTER THE EDITOR

### Kowloon City Fire Suggestion

Sir,-While all means of relief seem to have been taken and discussed by the Government in connection with the disastrous fire that broke out at Tung Tau Village, Kowloon City, Wednesday night, nothing has yet been hinted by the Government or suggested by anyone to consequence of the fire may be replaced without payment of the

It is the Government's rule that anyone having lost his/her Identity Card irrespective of cause is required to pay a fine of \$5 before a duplicate one can be issued. It is estimated that most of the victims in question have lost their identity Cards through the fire. If they are required to pay the fine of \$5 each, it means that they have to defray the additional unforeseen expense after they have unfortunately lost most, if not all, of their belongings although, on the other hand, it means that the Government will have an additional income of many thousands of dollars! But have good reason to believe that the Government is not prepared to take the advantage to augment its treasury at the expense of such poor victims. I therefore venture to suggest that the Commissioner of Registration of Persons be authorised to waive the fine of \$5 each that would normally be imposed on such victims as those who have lost their Identity Cards evidently as a result of the fire that broke out at Tung Tau Village on

Finally, I beg to state that the above is written solely for the sake of charity and without the slightest intention of depriving the Government of its legitimate revenue. However should the Government find it not possible to waive such charges for some reason or other, I would request the local charitable organisations to give a helping hand, in this connec-

Wednesday night.

KATHERINE.

Two of the splendid banyan trees which for years have adorned the Cricket Club side of Murray Road are to lose their lives in consequence of the decision to widen the road These two trees are on the "wrong" side of the Cricket Club railings | and have, therefore, to be condemned.

The remaining banyans which stand within the club grounds will not be affected by the alterations to Murray Road.

The trees have stood there almost as long as the existence of the Cricket Club, which this year celebrated its cen-

A five-foot wide pavement which runs along the Naval Dockyard administrative buildings in Murray Road will be included in the widening project.

It was recently discovered that a pavement already exists within the wailed off Naval area and this, in due ccurse, will become available prdestrians in Murray

H.K.T. 6. Programme Summary; 6.02, Children's Half Hour. Presented by guese Holf Hour (Studio): 7. World News and News Analysis (London Relay); 7.18, Charles Williams and His Concert Orchestra: 7.30, United Nations Album; 7.45, "Artist Of The Week"—Elizabeth Schumann (Soprano); 7.59, Weather Report; Relay): \$10, Interlude: 8.10, British Masterpieces: Bhakespeare's Plays. A Talk By Alec Guinness (BBCTS): 8.30. "I Like What I Like" Presented by Terence McCall (Studio); 9, Ted Ray and Petula Clark, In "Calling All Forces" (BBCTS). Geraldo and His Orchestra: 9.30, Radio Play. The Doer Departed' by Blanley Houghton (Studio), Produced By Teddy Bell For The Hong Kong Stage Club; 10, Radio News Reel (London Relay); 10.10, "Concerto"; Concerto In C Major (Haydn) Baymon Goldberg (Violis) and the Philitian-monia Orchestra Compuesed by Walter Suskind: 10:45 Chanson Franceise: 11, "Dancing Time" (With Eddy Howard & His Omhestra: 11.15, Goodnight Music: 11.25, Westier Beport: God Bave The

King: 11.30, Close Down.

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